WEATHER REPORT
Tuesday: Rain or Snow.

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BRITISH WIN VICTORY OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

Drive the Germans From Trenches and Gain About Four Miles

KAISER'S ARMY SUFFERS GREAT LOSSES

Claim That 10,000 Germans Were Killed, Wounded or Taken Prisoners During the Fighting—One of the Greatest Advances Made by the British Since They Began to Make Their Forward Dash Toward Lille—Tremendous Damage Done to the Germans by the Guns of Their Opponents—Teutons Put Up a Vigorous Resistance, But are Driven From Their Trenches.

(By United Press)

London, March 15.—Advance of the British troops in the vicinity of Neuvechapelle is estimated at about four miles, in a dispatch today from Bethune.

The Germans are declared to have been forced back beyond the forest. This advance of the British includes their various forward movements since the beginning of their activities at this point on March 10.

An observer with the British forces, reporting upon the opening bombardment by a large number of guns and howitzers, says:

Fire Was Tremendous

"Our men in the trenches describe this fire as being the most tremendous, both in point of noise and in actual effect, they have ever seen or heard. The shrieking of shells in the air, their explosion and the continuous thunder of the batteries were all merged into one great volume of sound. The discharges of the guns were so rapid that they sounded like the fire of a gigantic machine gun.

"During the thirty-five minutes it continued our men could show themselves freely, and even walk about in perfect safety. Then the signal for the attack was given, and in less than half an hour almost the whole of the elaborate series of German trenches in and about Neuvechapelle was in our hands.

Whole Trenches Blotted Out

"Except at one point, there was hardly any resistance, for the trenches, which in places were literally blotted out, were filled with dead and dying, partly buried in the earth and debris, and the majority of the survivors were in no mood for further fighting.

"To the northeast of the village, however, a body of Germans, ensconced in some inclosures, still continued to hold out for a few hours. Three attacks, in spite of the extreme gallantry with which they were conducted, failed to dislodge them, but by about noon the arival of reinforcements drove the Germans from their last stronghold in the village.

"This part of the fighting was remarkable for the manner in which every part of the attacking line afforded one another mutual support.

"Meanwhile on the right, in the direction of Richebourg, a similar advance had been made toward Bois du Biez, a small rectangular wood lying about 1000 yards to the southeast of Neuvechapelle. Here, also, little resistance was met with, and our line reached a point about 400 yards from the wood.

"In the afternoon, the troops who had seized Neuvechapelle advanced still further to the east, gaining nearly 400 yards, while on their left again, north of the village, our forward movement progressed for a considerable distance and the fighting continued long after darkness had set in.

Take Position by Bayonet

"The enemy were by this time thoroughly shaken and in some parts of the field were surrendering in groups. Throughout the day the Germans continued to hold out in a strang position at the angle of the crossroads south of the village, where they were established in a perfect network of trenches and barbed wire. This position had been known as Port Arthur and a hard struggle raged for some hours around it, until at 5:30 in the evening, when it was stormed at the point of the payonet.

"By nightfall we were in possession of all of the enemy's trenches on a front of 400 yards, representing an advance of more than 1200 yards from our original trenches at the furthest point.

BIG FRENCH GUN ON RAILS FIRING AT GERMAN POSITION.

One of the huge guns of the French Artillery, mounted on a carriage spe cially constructed for transportation by rail, is seen here being discharged. Some of the gun crew are holding their hands to their ears as the concussion produced by these heavy pie ces causes a frightful noise. This gun is being trained on some German trenches about two miles away.

EITEL FRIEDRICH HOLDS FRYE MEN PRISONERS

Question of Right to Hold These Men Will be Decided Soon

FIXING VALUE OF THE SUNKEN VESSEL

American Case Against the German Ship Has Been Completed—Facts Relating to the Destruction of the Frye Will be Forwarded to Berlin at Once—United States Government Wants Captain of Eitel Friederich to State How Long He Will Require to Repair His Ship—Date Will be Kept Secret From the British Warships Outside.

(By United Press)

Newport News, Va., March 15.—Government authorities here are awaiting instructions from Washington regarding representations to be made to Commander Thierichens of the German cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich concerning the detention of Charles Frank and Robert Roggo, members of the crew of the American sailing ship William P. Frye, sunk in the South Atlantic January 28 by the German commerce destroyer.

Held Against Will

Sworn statements have been made to the collector of customs here by other members of the Fry's crew that one of these men is being detained against his wishes, and the question is whether the German commander has a right to take men from an American ship and hold them for service in the Germany navy even if they are Germans and subject to such service. Collector Hamilton, it is learned, has received word to make no move until he receives instructions from the treasury department, which yesterday referred to the subject to the secretary of state.

Must Decide Soon

Commander Thierichens still delays reply to Collector Hamilton's twice repeated request for formal notification to the Washington government of the time he wishes granted for repair of his vessel at the ship yards here. He has estimated that, probably three weeks, but has made no specific request for time. The naval board of survey, without waiting further word from the German officer, will resume its examination of the cruiser tomorrow to see what repairs are necessary to make her sea worthy. Constructor Duboss, Lieutenant Commander Norris and Lieutenant Allen, the members of the board, will resume their work by going over the Eitel Friedrich's boilers.

AMERICAN TRADE WITH SOUTHERN REPUBLICS BRISK

Many Ships Sail Daily With Goods Made in the United States

Argentine Anxious to Buy Goods in the United States and Sell Her Product to Americans—Capitalists Preparing to Meet Demand.

By Carlton Ten Eyck
(Written for the United Press)

New York, March 15.—Down at the wharves these days there are Yankee steamers, flying the stars and stripes, loading with Made in U. S. A. products, bound for the Spanish Main.

The trade routes that Drake and his crew of freebooting heroes originated in their task of plundering Spanish cities of South America are followed by more American ships than European now, where, a few months ago, it was the Union Jack or Norwegian, or German flag that flew from the mastheads of the ships in the tropics.

Big business, the kind that deals in millions, no longer needs urging to seize its opportunity, and the little fellows, who deal in thousands instead of millions, are following the leaders.

A dozen or more ships are clearing every week for Argentine, and Brazil and for ports on the west coast of South America, via the canal.

And South American goods are coming back, in American bottoms. A week or so ago Manuel A. Molina, consul general of the Argentine republic in New York, issued an official statement in which he pleaded for closer trade relations between the United States and Argentine.

"We have products you want, as well as markets for your products," he said. "The United States is interested in capturing our markets by selling its products to us, but does not reciprocate in purchasing our goods to a similar degree. Argentine wool and hides are brought in the London markets by American importers. Why not import them direct to America and save the middleman's profits?"

Yankee millionaires saw the chance, and there are a few ships now en route from Buenos Aires with Argentine products which will be sold in the open market here.

The Argentine consul's plea was followed, a few days later, by an announcement from Peru. The government there decided to import flour from the United States and sell it at cost price in order to reduce the cost of bread there.

These announcements had immediate results, and, as a sequel, a chain of government-encouraged schools for the training of foreign commerce experts may soon be realized. Prof. C. L. Swiggett of the University of Tennessee, who is a member of the committee on commercial preparation of foreign trade of the National Foreign trade council announced that important links in this chain of schools would be Columbia university in New York, University of Chicago, Tulane university, Harvard university of Cincinnati and Charleston college.

"A careful study of our educational systems," said Prof. Swiggett, "has led me to question whether we will ever be able to establish within our ordinary schools and colleges, as organized and directed adequate sources for this specific training. You see, this implies rather an international viewpoint, something quite distinct from the usual temper or attitude of our classrooms. Government aid is necessary."

The big interests of the country are behind Professor Swiggett's plan. They desire to see American trading stations in the tropics, the orient and the South Seas, where the British and German interests collided before the war.

New England is taking up the South American opportunity with increased zest as a result of conferences Boston business men have had with Charles F. Baker, American vice and consul general at Guayaquil, Ecuador. Boston manufacturers and importers of cocoa, hides, rubber, ivory nuts, Panama hats and other products are interested now in mapping out new routes for shipment of their goods to and from the west coast.

Lincoln Beachey Meets Death at Exposition

Lincoln Beachey, one of the most daring aviators in the United States, plunged to his death while giving an exhibition at the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco, Sunday afternoon. Beachey was giving an exhibition of fancy flying when the wings of his new aeroplane collapsed and he fell a distance of 7000 feet, alighting in the water. Every bone in his body was broken.

Beachey gave an exhibition in Williamsport about three years ago and has been noted for his recklessness for years.

MISSIONARY WORKERS OF STATE CONVENE

(By United Press)

Pittsburg, March 15.—Leading missionary workers were gathered here today for the twenty-first annual convention of the Christian and Missionary alliance, which opened in Carnegie Hall, Northside. The convention will be ni progress for one week.

The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. A. E. Thompson, of Jerusalem. Dr. Thompson had great difficulty in getting from Jerusalem to Jaffa because of his English nationality and was finally furnished an escort by Dr. Glazebrook, the American consul, and a strong guard. He declares that a United States warship helped him get safely upon the high seas.

Among the speakers will be: Dr. A. B. Simpson, of New York; Rev. E. J. Richards, New York, secretary of the home department; Dr. Frederick Farr, Philadelphia; Dr. P. W. Philpott; Hamilton, Canad; Rev. A. E. Funk, Boydton, Va.; Rev. W. L. Tucker, Los Angeles; Rev. E. M. Collett, Charlotte, N. C., and Miss Cora Rudy, Dayton, O.

Steady! Careful!
This mystery is baffling thousands
It's amazing solution worked out by the Secret of the

BOARD OF HEALTH WARNS CITIZENS TO USE PRECAUTION

Parents Should Keep Their Children Away From Infected Homes

Children Under Eighteen Years Forbidden to Attend Places of Public Amusement, Churches, Etc.—Y. M. C. A. Closed Temporarily—Three New Cases Reported Since Saturday.

One more case of scarlet fever, at the home of Raymond Burns, in the Fourth ward, was reported to the board of health on Sunday. Four cases at the homes of, William Lukens, Ed. Taylor, William Dole and Baughman's were reported on Saturday.

The borough schools have been closed for a week, and all persons under 18 years of age are prohibited from attending all public gatherings, churches, places of amusement, etc. The opera house and the Globe theatre have been allowed to remain open upon condition that they observe this regulation.

The Y. M. C. A. has been closed until such a time as the board of health considers it wise to open the high school. The Mineralite Bowling ball which is touring the world and which was to have been at the local Y. M. C. A. on the 15th and 16th of month will go on to Ebensburg in place of remaining here.

The board of health says it is doing everything in its power to control the epidemic; and now the effectiveness of this control rests with the citizens. The board of health can only act upon cases after they have been reported to it. The schools have been closed because of the clamoring of the people, and now these children are running around the streets and making the spread of the epidemic more dangerous than if they were in school. It is the duty of the parents to keep their children at home and to call a physician whenever there is the least indication of scarlet rash or fever.

The home of Wm. Rishel, on Linden street, was quarantined for scarlet fever, this morning.

There are now 20 cases in the borough at present.

PENN GRANGE WILL HOLD ITS ANNUAL BANQUET

Penn Grange No. 534, P. of H., will hold its annual banquet in McGraths hall, Grampian, on Saturday afternoon, March 27. Grange will open at 1:30 o'clock.

All members, whether in full standing or not, are especially invited to be present with baskets and to bring with them a neighbor or friend, even though not a member of the order. Visitors from other granges will be especially welcome.

Defeated at Indiana

The high school basketball team was defeated by Indiana Normal at Indiana Friday evering by a score of 21 to 23. C. H. S. was ahead at the end of the first half 19 to 14.

Died Sunday Morning

Anna Polaty died at her home on Water street Sunday morning of cancer of the liver.

BACKYARD GARDENS TO LOWER COST OF LIVING

(By United Press)

Washington, March 13.—Can city dwellers reduce the cost of living by gardening on their roofs or back porches? is a question the agriculture department has been asked recently.

It would be fun to try, is the department's answer. But the fun is the only thing officially guaranteed. To cart good, rich dirt to the top of an apartment house, it was pointed out, would run into money. Nevertheless, it was admitted the proposition was a feasable one, even if it should not prove profitable.

The department does contend earnestly, however, for the backyard garden. "Get outside with a shovel," urge the garden sharks, "and plant something. You may not save anything on your grocery bill but you'll get better garden truck and think of the good time you'll have."

WHAT DUBOIS THINKS OF "WHEN DREAMS COME TRUE"

"When Dreams Come True" the offering at the Avenue theatre on Saturday afternoon and night proved to be a most entertaining play, one that is appealing in its theme and is given by a company that is highly capable. There is a large amount of clever dancing, and the singing numbers are above the average. The comedy is refreshing and is entirely free from anything of a suggestive nature. It is better than usual in this respect. (DuBois Courier, Monday, March 15.

Marriage Licenses

Howard White, of Hawk Run, and Celia Smeal, of Karthaus.

Howard C. Jones, of Ramey, and Edna M. Osewalk, land in Osceola.

Turkish Solders Murder Six Greek Families

(By United Press)

Athens, March 15.—Turkish soldiers in Ismari have murdered six Greek families, according to reports from Bulgaria.

The reports have aroused a strong feeling of hatred in Greece. Although the report has not been confirmed by the government, the newspapers are taking it up.

WHOLE FAMILY IS MURDERED IN HOME

(By United Press)

Terre Haute, Indiana, March 15.—Neighbors today found the whole Baldwin family with battered and fractured skulls lying in their home. Samuel aged 12, and Celeste, aged 7 were dead. Mrs. Lizzie Baldwin, aged 35, Irene aged 5, Clifford aged 3 and a baby one year old were found unconscious and taken to the hospital where they are not expected to recover.

A bloody flatiron lying near them was the only clue to the murder. No arrests have been made. William Baldwin, the father, is a telephone lineman who is now working in Illinois. He sent the family part of his earnings every week, but they were very poor and robbery could not have been the cause of the murder. The family, according to neighbors, were very quiet and the authorities are at loss to explain the cause of the murder.

Lunch Postponed

Mrs. S. A. Row's circle, of the Lutheran church, which was to have served this week, postponed the lunch, because of the scarlet fever, until a later date.

D. C. Rook has taken the room over the Globe theatre, where he is showing the famous "Safety First Clothes" at $10.00. Come up any time.

BOTH PATIENTS ARE GETTING ALONG WELL

C. P. Diehr, motive power superintendent of the N. Y. C., who is a patient at the Clearfield hospital because of injuries received in an elevator accident last week at the Dimeling hotel, is resting comfortably today.

John Ardary is getting along nicely and there is every indication of his recovery.

German Advance Is Halted

(By United Press)

Petrograd, March 15.—The German advance has been halted north and east of Przemysl by the defest of the German detachment near Mlawa, but a new battle for possession of Pryasnysz cannot long be delayed. In the north and west the Germans are drawing up strong reinforcements. The lull in the fighting is being used as a time for preparation.

Capitulation of Smyrna Is Expected Very Soon

(By United Press)

London, March 15.—The fall of Smyrna before the end of the week is prophesied in reports from Athens. A squadron is bombarding the defenses inside the strait and new allied ships are steaming away at the land batteries.

From Sophia have come reports from refugees who cited positively that the capitol is to be removed from Constantinople to Eskiskehr, in Asia Minor.

Missionary Society Meeting

The Missionary society of the Lutheran church will hold a conference at Grace Lutheran church in Altoona on Thursday afternoon and evening of this week, at which members of the society will be made welcome.

Reparation In McManus Murder Case

(By United Press)

Washington, March 15.—Renewed and more formal assurances that due reparation will be made for the murder of John B. McManus by Zapatistas in Mexico City were received at the state department yesterday through the Brazilian minister.

These assurances come from Gen. Palafox, prominent during the last Villa-Zapata occupation of Mexico City, who has taken charge of the department of foreign affairs.

SWEDISH SHIP SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

(By United Press)

Hull, March 15.—Fourteen survivors of the crew of the Swedish steamship Hanna, which was torpedoed by a submarine off Scarborough, on the east coast of England, early Saturday morning were landed here Saturday evening by a steamship which picked them up. Six of the crew were either drowned or killed by the explosion.

Saturday night the second mate, who was on the bridge at the time of the attack, said that he did not see the submarine which gave no notice of her intention. He saw the torpedo approaching the vessel, but it was too late to maneuver the ship so as to avoid it. The explosion caused the forepart of the deck to fall in, imprisoning several of the crew in the forecastle.

For half an hour after being struck the vessel continued to float, giving the survivors time to take to the boats.

The Hanna was bound from the Tyne for Las Palmas, Canary Islands. When it was torpedoed it was displaying its national colors according to the survivors, and had its name and nationality painted on its sides in letters reaching from the bulwarks to the waterline. Therefore, the vessel could be aware, it was impossible for it to be mistaken for a British ship.

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IF you buy out of town, and we buy out of town, and all our neighbors buy out of town, what in taunder will become of our town? Ever think of it?

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1915

Good evening! Cheer up; think of hte predicament of the sultan of Turkey.

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What is so rare, also, as a June day in March?

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Imagine an Englishman who drops his h's trying to pass himself off as a German.

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At this time it is the duty of every citizen to constitute himself a quarantine guard.

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It may be a mere coincidence, but just as woman's suffrage seems ot be winning Mormon proselyting becomes more active.

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Thus far March has been behaving very well, and even if the month shall go out like a lion we will have had our pleasant days.

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Clearfield citizens believe a chautauqua is a good thing, hence it is an easy matter to secure a chautauqua guarantee in this town.

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Women never wanted anything they didn't get, and it will not be long until the female of the species will be voting in every state in the union.

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Ex-Presidents Diaz and Huerta are no doubt preparing to welcome to their colony in foregin lands the other Mexican rulers who will soon be ex's.

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Those Mexicans are so accustomed to President Wilson's bluffs that they are not in the least alarmed over the sending of American warships to Vera Cruz.

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The famous "Flying Dutchman" didn't have anything on the German ship Dresden, which has been sunk and brought to the surface a half dozen times in the past six months.

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The Progress is read by more people than read any other daily newspaper in this section of the state, and that's why the Progress is the best advertising medium in Clearfield county.

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Harry K. Thaw may soon be a free man, and if he has another brain storm he will have a precedent by which he will be guided in escaping punishment if he wishes to kill another man.

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New York's murder rate is said to be eight times as high as London's, and the Thaw verdict after he murdered Stanford White didn't help to lower Gotham's murder rate, to any extent.

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France is putting up such a good fight and her people are displaying such praiseworthy virtues that it is not strange that the sympathies of the American people goes out to the Frenchmen.

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Not his own inclination, but the fear of running a foul of a fleet of British warships will probably decide the captain of the Eitel Freidrich to intern his piratical ship in an American port.

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We now know why the Germans do not take more prisoners; they are afraid their food supply would be too quickly exhausted if they were to have a million or more hungry Russians or Englishmen to feed.

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A Delaware woman seventy years of age visited Philadelphia the other day and said she was surprised at the activity of the people of that city. The old lady must have struck an hour in which a new scrapple cafe was opened.

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The world boasts of the modern "push" in business and other lines of endeavor, but nothing that is done today equals the expedition and productiveness in throwing in of paint by the Old Masters, whose output of pictures seems to be inexhaustible.

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Johnstown's mayor sentenced a drunk to read three chapters of the Bible, and because the warden let the fellow go before the complete sentence was complied with he had to read the Bible himself. Talk about your cruel and unnecessary punishment.

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Governor Brumbaugh wants the negligent citizens who refuse to vote penalized with a fine, which is a proposition that ought to take well with those voters upon whose shoulders has been carried the responsibility of filling political offices with unworthy men.

THAW'S MONEY WINS

No sane person will believe that Harry K. Thaw was insane when he killed Stanford White and became sane a few days afterward. New York never had a more deliberate murder than that in which White was the victim. From the time the crime was committed, however, the public knew that Thaw would not suffer the penalty of his crime. Thaw can command an unlimited amount of money, and money goes a long way in preventing the punishment of criminals in some courts.

Because of his own and his relatives' wealth Thaw was acquitted of murder and sent to an insane asylum. The incarcaration of Matteawan was far as the New York courts would go in punishing Thaw, however, and it has been made plain in the verdict of the jury in the conspiracy case against Thaw that any inmate of Matteawan who is sane or insane may be enabled to escape if he pays the price. It cost Thaw six thousand dollars to get out of the insane asylum, aside from the amount he had to pay sleek lawyers to convince the court that he intended no violation of the law.

The Thaw case throughout has done more to bring ridicule and contempt upon the law and its methods of administration than anything that has happened in this country since it was founded. It was Thaw's money that enabled him to escape the punishment that would have been inflicted upon a poor man charged with a similar crime. Is it any wonder that the poor man looks with both fear and contempt upon the law, which sends him to jail for taking a loaf of bread to keep his family from starving and frees a deliberate murderer because the latter can buy expert legal advisors who discover technicalities and bring about delays which tire out the courts?

SHALL WOMEN VOTE?

There are two sides of the woman's suffrage question. The women who want the ballot argue that if they are given the franchise they will bring about the reforms which the men refuse to give the people. Thisis a weak argument, as has been proven in states where women have the right to vote, and especially in Chicago recently, where the women voted against a real reformer and supported a tool of the liquor element. With the ballot women would be no more powerful in shaping government than they now are, and that they have great influence now is not denied.

Neither is it true that if women get the ballot the home will be disrupted. The home is a perpetual institution, founded on the rock of civilization, and cannot be destroyed no matter who votes. Some women there are who may neglect the home for political action, but these women no more represent the intelligent home makers than ignorant or criminal stands for the intelligent male voters. If men, women and children were all allowed to vote the home would remain what it is today and what it will be in the centuries to come.

Women should be allowed to vote because they have an interest in government. They share in the benefits of government and should share in its responsibilities. Many women there are who are unfit to have the right to vote, but the same may be said of many men. The ballot would not make the women any the less capable of managing their homes, nor would it result in purifying politics. With the ballot, however, the intelligent woman would have an opportunity to prove that she realizes her responsibilities to her country her state, and in time she would become imbued with a desire to cast her ballot for principles not men, and in this way gradually but surely she would influence man to accept the reforms which she now believes are necessary to good government.

THE MUSIC OF THE SHAMROCK

The shamrock's green—it grew maybe,
Beside the Shannon springing,
Or blossomed by the River Lee,
Where Shanden's bells are ringing
That grand, melodic, throbbing peal
Through Irish dell and forest,
Imprinted by no tyrant heel,
Tagged by a city florist.

And how the music fills the air!
Those days of Kerry dancing!
When fiddles' croon and pipers' flare
Set colleens' feet a-glancing!
Kathleen Mavourneen's serenade—
Sad that true hearts must sever—
The hunter's horn—the gray mists fade—
Good-by—perhaps forever!

The harp that once—so silent now!
Oh, strike a gayer measure—
The Pretty Girl that milked the cow,
Or Peggy's low-backed leisure;
The spot where angels stop to rest,
Beyond the stone of Blarney—
White wings enfolded on each breast
Killarney, oh, Killarney!

'Tis gone! The Shamrock's voice is still!
Its laeves, so soft and glowing,
Shine out across the window sill,
Old Ireland's color showing,
With dew's soft flash and sun's gay gleam,
A happy message bringing;
And for a moment in my dream
I thought I heard it singing!

—Kate Masterson in Judge.

SIX SMALL SMILES

A Bird's-eye View

Saplee—What is this Blue Bird we hear so much about?

Snapleigh—The Dove of Peace.—Judge.

You Know Them

"What kind of a fellow is Brown?" asked the Old Fogy.

"Oh, he's one of these fellows who believe everything they pay money to hear," replied the Grouch.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Misleading

An elderly farmer drove into town one day and hitched his team to a telegraph post.

"Here!" exclaimed a burly policeman, "you can't hitch there!"

"Can't hitch!" shouted the irate farmer. "Well, who have you got a sign up, 'Fine for hitching'?"

Suitable for Wall Paper

"Well, do you think our stock will sell?"

"If it doesn't we'll have to peddle it as wall paper."

"And that gives me an idea. We'll cut out the usual curlycues and print it with a neat floral design."—Kansas City Journal.

Bad Habits

"No," exclaimed Richly, "our son will never amount to anything until he marries."

"Why?" asks his wife anxiously.

"He's got to get over the habit of hanging around the house."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Being the Description of Cubist Lady

Lost—My dog, last Sunday about noon; was seen following a lady; body black, legs most all white, white neck, spots above each eye. Please notify 505 W. Cedar street.—Kalamazoo (Mich.) Gazette.

New Beadstring Fastener.

The clasps or fastenings ordinarily employed on strings of beads, such as the popular pearl necklaces, are objectionable not only for insecurity in many instances, but also because they make a break in the continuity, and when they slip to the front of the wearer detract from the appearance. It has been suggested that possibly some form of fastener might be devised which would include as its elements bead structures corresponding to the other units of the necklace.—Scientific American.

The German Spy and The System Explained

Philadelphia Ledger

By an Ex-Intelligence Officer New York: George H. Doran company.

This is the year of stern realities. The wildest imagination of an H. G. Wells could not well cap the horrors of 1915, and the peripatiae of the breaking up of Napoleon's great empire just 100 years ago seems as nothing when we compare it to the tremendous "debacle" of our European civilization today.

Those who normally care for detective stories, today would probably hardly enjoy the imaginings of the most ingenious authors in the genre, and to these one may recommend a book recently published anonymously by an "Ex-Intelligence Officer" under the title, "The German Spy System From Within."

The author evidently knows whereof he speaks. He first explains the training of the spy in the various divisions of his activities. There is the naval spy, the military spy, the diplomatic spy—and there is also the "agent provocateur," who goes into the neighboring or the distant enemy's country to stir up trouble—as the Germans did in Ireland just before the war when they hoped that the Ulster riots might keep England so busy at home that she could not well turn her attention to a foregin war.

The recent passport frauds in which it is alleged that Lieut. Col. Boy-Ed, the naval attache of the German embassy, is involved, make the book before us of peculiar interest just now. And the arrests made in England since the war opened have brought to light the modus operandi [illegible] organization, [illegible] thor claims that [illegible] wholly demoralizing [illegible] shed by Stiebel in 1870 is now so well understood that the British police can neutralize its dangers. The trials of Schultz, Graves, Ernst and other agents show that England's counter espionage set up in self-defense, has more or less accomplished its object of neutralizing the worst perils from the Germany spy.

Indeed, the tendency of the patriotic German to give information even without pay has given rise to drastic measures on the part of the government. All Germans in Great Britain are more or less under the surveillance of the intelligence department, which was established some six years ago to guard against the influx of German spies. So well were these known that on August 4, by order of the home secretary and just before the declaration of war, 20 spies were arrested. More than 200 were under suspicion and kept under special observation.

As a fact, espionage in Germany seems to be a part of the normal life. The whole nation is subject to it and is more or less attuned to it; from the ordinary citizen to the Minister of the Interior Von Puttkamer, who loudly proclaimed in the reichstag his esteem for the Police Councillor Rumoff and his methods—these included suborning high officials and using disorderly houses as centers of information; bribing court officials [illegible] and their wives [illegible] south through the [illegible] out of [illegible] Herr [illegible] brought out in the reichstag and [illegible] demoralizing to the nation.

[illegible] in 1870 seems to have been [illegible] with the same cold-blooded [illegible] of savagery that has marked our Prussian contemporaries in [illegible] war and the author quotes [illegible] interesting some of his own [illegible] the former unpublished today.

[illegible] of interesting [illegible] features of what [illegible] and other informers caught [illegible] Though all or each does that some new system should be devised by the Germans as the old is so well understood now as to have lost its efficiency.

FOOD FOR STRANGER

SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVES HAVE A HUMANE CUSTOM.

Field Is Set Aside on Which Supplies Are Grown and Stored in Readiness to Appease Hunger of Chance Visitor.

In South Africa, among the natives there is a custom which has never been mentioned by any traveler in his tales. In the Transkei land and Bechuanaland, nearly every fair-sized village has a field set aside for strangers. In a village where the king resides, usually his chief wife is told off to cultivate this field and store away all the product in the upper part of her hut, and if in any adjacent village some chief woman is saddled with the work, no man of the tribe is permitted to touch any food thus stored.

The king's wife or whoever cultivates the land takes her share of the product and makes her living out of it, but all over and above the amount actually consumed must be set aside and preserved. She may not trade with any other wife of the king.

This field is known as the 'Strangers' Field.' Whenever a stranger comes to the village he makes known his wants to the king and he is immediately relieved. The best hut in the village is set apart for him, he eats the food of the stranger's field, and the wife of the king prepares the food for him with her own hand. He remains a week or a month, or any reasonable length of time, and his departure is never hastened. Sometimes he stays long enough to become a members of the tribe.

An amusing feature of this custom is the fact that indigent members of the tribe occasionally leave the village and go to other villages and become strangers, so that very often when a familiar face has been missed from a certain village and anyone asks where So-and-So went or what became of him, the inquirer has been gravely informed that So-and-So was poor and became a stranger. Some lazy men go around from village to village, and when they return to their original kraal they spin the yarn that they have been working in the mines. Then again one often can run across So-and-So in a distant village living on the fat of the land as a stranger and being treated to royal hospitality.

There are no beggars in Africa. When a man becomes too poor to get along comfortably he makes a circuit of the adjacent villages as a stranger.

Neighborhood Melody.

"Please, ma'am," said the little girl from next door, "mother wants to know if you will lend her your new mechanical tune player this afternoon."

"What an extraordinary idea! Is she going to give a dance?"

"No, ma'am. We're tired of dancing to it. She wants to keep it quiet for a couple of hours so that the baby can sleep."

Queer Proceedings.

"I've got to wait in my trade until there is a freezeout in the business."

"That's remarkable. What is your trade?"

"I'm an ice cutter."

STUDYING ORIGIN OF LIFE

Scientists of Many Kinds Busy Solving One of Most Fascinating of Problems.

The search for the fountain of youth passed away with the middle ages, the search for the secret of life goes on with ever increasing intensity. The Harvard professor who has just "surprised" a Baltimore audience with a theory on the subject is only one of a host. For every biologist and physiologist today the problem looms large. Chemists are thinking of it. Even the physicists have it on their mind. To all of them it looks simple and yet is enormously complex. Given such substances as oxygen, hydrogen, nitrogen, phosphorus, sulphur and what not in the inanimate world, how does it happen that when they come together under organic conditions life should result? Do they "get busy" on their own initiative, or does a so-called "vital energy" different from physical energy, intervene to make them live? Is it their partnership that gives rise to life, or do they already live if with a lower order of vitality, in advance of the combination?

To questions like these several sorts of scientists are trying to give answers and they have more than one method. One is to see the thing out the other is to reason it out. The embryologists bring their microscopes to bear on the organic cell with keen attention to parts and workings. They insist on studying the riddle where it shows itself they believe that where organic conditions prevail vital phenomena must appear, many of them even hold, with Schaefer, that it will be possible to "synthesize" in the laboratory. The rationalists, on the other hand, despairing of aid from the microscope, are content to find out where life comes from. And even here two schools of thought have taken the royal road. By the one it is maintained that life does not start up suddenly in the living body, but is more or less "latent" in all matter. That hypothesis is implicit in the hylozoism of the ancient Greeks, it has been expanded in modern Germany by the Nagelis and the Haeckels, it shows itself once more in the view represented by Professor Henderson at Baltimore. Then there is the cosmic theory championed by Arrhenius. In his cosmogony the vital germ which started organic evolution came to us from other worlds, or from the spaces between, wafted thence to the earth by the impelling power of solar light.

WHITE SLAVERY TRIAL STARTS IN CHICAGO

(By United Press)

Dr. Louis Weinburg, of Lingenier, Ind., the "rest cure," doctor is scheduled to stand trial here today on a charge of transporting for immoral purposes, Miss Grace Belle Rocher, from Kalamazoo, Mich., to Chicago. Miss Rocher is alleged to have made the trip May 6, 1913.

Dr. Weinburg, who had been treating the 18-year-old girl for months, suggested to her in May that she go to Kalamazoo for a "rest cure". He is alleged to have paid her way there and later to have joined her. The indictment charges that Dr. Weinburg and Miss Rocher came to Chicago together.

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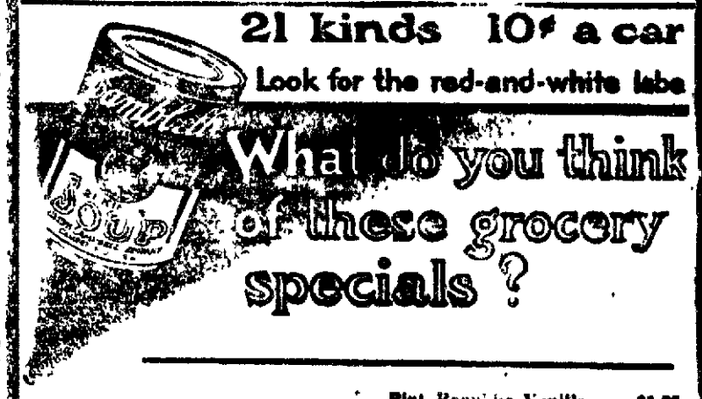

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"Certainly. Now?" and he took out his pocketbook.

"This minit," replied Peg positively.

"With pleasure," said Mr. Hawkes as he began to count the banknotes.

"And I want ye to get a passage on the first ship to America, this afternoon if there's one!" cried Peg earnestly.

"Oh, come, come," remonstrated the lawyer.

"The £20 I want to buy somethin' for me father—just to remember England by. If ye think me uncle wouldn't like me to have it because I'm lavin', why, then me father'll pay ye back. It may take him a long time, but he'll pay it."

"Now, listen"— interrupted Mr. Hawkes.

"Mebbe it'll only be a few dollars a week, but father always pays his debts—in time. That's all he ever needs—time."

"What's all this nonsense about going away?"

"It isn't nonsense. I'm goin' to me father," answered Peg resolutely.

Hawkes hunted through his mind for the cause of this upheaval in the Chichester home. He remembered Mrs. Chichester's statement about Alaric's affection for his young cousin. Could the trouble have arisen from that? It gave him a clew to work on. He grasped it

"Answer me one question truthfully, Miss O'Connell. Is there an affair of the heart?"

Peg looked down on the ground mournfully and replied:

"Me heart is in New York—with me father."

"Has any one made love to you since you have been here?"

Peg looked up at him sadly and shook her head. A moment later a mischievous look came into her eyes, and she said, with a roguish laugh:

"Sure one man wanted to kiss me, an' I boxed his ears, an' another—almost man—asked me to marry him."

"Oh!" ejaculated the lawyer.

"Me Cousin Alaric."

"And what did you say?" questioned Hawkes.

"I towld him I'd rather have Michael."

He looked at her in open bewilderment and repeated:

"Michael?"

"Me dog," explained Peg, and her eyes danced with merriment.

Hawkes laughed heartily and relievedly.

As Hawkes looked at her, radiant in her springlike beauty, her clear, healthy complexion, her dazzling teeth, her red-gold hair, he felt a sudden thrill go through him. His life had been so full, so concentrated on the development of his career, that he had never permitted the feminine note to obtrude itself on his life. His effort had been rewarded by an unusually large circle of influential clients who yielded him an exceedingly handsome revenue. He had heard whispers of a magistracy. His public future was assured

But his private life was arid. The handsome villa in Pelham crescent had no one to grace the head of the table, save on the occasional visits of his aged mother or the still rarer ones of a married sister.

And here was he in the full prime of life.

Yielding to some uncontrollable impulse, he took her little hand in both of his own.

Hawkes was not to be denied now. He went on in his softest and most persuasive accents:

"I know one who would give you all these—a man who has reached the years of discretion, one in whom the follies of youth have merged into the knowledge and reserve of early middle age; a man of position and of means; a man who can protect you, care for you, admire you—and be proud to marry you.

"Miss O'Connell—may I say Margaret?—I was your uncle's adviser, his warm personal friend. We spoke freely of you for many weeks before he died. It was his desire to do something for you that would change your whole life and make it full and happy and contented. Were your uncle alive I know of nothing that would give

"Will ye let me have £20?" suddenly asked Peg.

him greater pleasure than for his old friend to take you, your young life, into his care. Miss O'Connell, I am the man!"

"Stop it!" she cried. "What's the matther with you men this morning? Ye'd think I was some great lady the way ye're all offerin' me your hands an' yer names an' yer influences an' yer dignities. Stop it! Give me that money an' let me go."

Hawkes paused.

"Don't give your answer too hastily. I know it must seem abrupt—one might almost say brutal. But I am alone in the world; you are alone. Neither of us has contracted a regard for any one else. And, in addition to that, there would be no occasion to marry until you are twenty-one. There!"

Peg suddenly burst into a paroxysm of laughter.

"Am I to consider that a refusal?"

"Ye may. What would I be doin' marryin' the likes of you? Answer me that?"

"That is final?" he queried.

"Absolutely, completely an' entirely final. Thank ye very much, sir," she added. "An' may I have the £20?"

"Certainly. Here it is." And he handed her the money

"I'm much obliged to ye. An' I'm sorry if I hurt ye by laughin' just now. But I thought ye were jokin'. I did."

She hurried across the room to the staircase. When she was halfway up the stairs Jarvis entered and was immediately followed by Jerry.

"Peg!" he said gently, looking up at her.

"I'm goin' back to me father in half an hour!" And she went on up the stairs.

As Jerry moved slowly away from the staircase he met Montgomery Hawkes.

CHAPTER XXVII.

New Revelations.

"WHY, how do you do, Sir Gerald?" and Hawkes went across quickly with outstretched hand.

"Hello, Hawkes," replied Jerry, too preoccupied to return the act of salutation. Instead he nodded in the direction Peg had gone and questioned: "What does she mean—going in a few minutes?"

"She is returning to America. Our duties of guardianship is over. She absolutely refuses to stay here any longer. My duties in regard to her, outside of the annual payment provided by her late uncle, end today," replied the lawyer.

"I think not, Hawkes."

"I beg your pardon?"

"As the chief executor of the late Kingsnorth's will I must be satisfied that its conditions are complied with in the spirit as well as to the letter," said Jerry authoritatively.

"Mr. Kingsnorth expressly stipulated that a year was to elapse before any definite conclusion was arrived at. So far only a month has passed."

"But she insists on returning to her father," protested Mr. Hawkes.

"Have you told her the conditions of the will?"

"Certainly not. Mr. Kingsnorth distinctly stated she was not to know them."

"Except under exceptional circumstances. I consider the circumstances most exceptional."

"I am afraid I cannot agree with you, Sir Gerald."

"That is a pity. But it doesn't alter my intention."

"And may I ask what that intention is?"

"To carry out the spirit of Mr. Kingsnorth's bequest."

"And what do you consider the spirit?"

"I think we will best carry out Mr. Kingsnorth's last wishes by making known the conditions of his bequest to Miss O'Connell and then let her decide whether she wishes to abide by them or not."

Mrs. Chichester came into the room and went straight to Jerry. At the same time Alaric burst in through the garden and greeted Jerry and Hawkes.

"I heard you were here"— began Mrs. Chichester.

Jerry interrupted her anxiously. "Mrs. Chichester, I was entirely to blame for last night's unfortunate business. Don't visit your displeasure on the poor little child. Please don't!"

Jarvis came down the stairs with a pained, not to say mortified, expression on his face. Underneath his left arm he held tightly a shabby little bag and a freshly wrapped up parcel. In his right hand, held far away from his body, was the melancholy and picturesque terrier, Michael.

Mrs. Chichester looked at him in horror.

"Where are you going with those—things?" she gasped.

"To put them in a cab, madam," answered the humiliated footman. "Your niece's orders."

"Put those articles in a traveling bag. Use one of my daughter's!" ordered the old lady.

"Your niece objects, madam. She sez she'll take nothing away she didn't bring with her."

The grief stricken woman turned away as Jarvis passed out. Alaric tried to comfort her. But the strain of the morning had been too great. He looked cheerfully at Jerry and smiled as he said

"I even offered to marry her if she'd stay. Couldn't do more than that, could I?"

Jerry returned Alaric's smile as he asked:

"You offered to marry her?"

"Asked her, I did."

"Poor little wretch."

Down the stairs came Peg and Ethel. Mrs. Chichester looked at Peg through misty eyes and said reproachfully:

"Why didn't you wear black dress? Why not one of the dresses I gave you?"

"This is the way I left me father, an' this is the way I'm goin' back to him!" replied Peg sturdily.

"You're not going, Peg," said Jerry quietly and positively.

"Who's goin' to stop me?"

"I, as chief executor of the late Mr. Kingsnorth's will."

"An' who is that?"

"Mr. Jerry, Peg!"

"You an executor?"

"I am. Sit down—here in our midst—and know why you have been here all the past month."

He forced Peg gently into a chair.

"Have you ever wondered at the real reason you were brought here to this house and the extraordinary interest taken in you by relations who until a month ago had never even bothered about your existence?"

"I have, indade," Peg answered. "But whenever I've asked any one I've always been told it was me uncle's wish."

"And it was. Indeed, his keenest desire just before his death was to atone in some way for his unkindness to your mother."

"Nothin' could do that," and Peg's lips tightened.

"That was why he sent for you."

"Sendin' for me won't bring me poor mother back to life, will it?"

"At least we must respect his intentions. He desired that you should be given the advantages your mother had when she was a girl.

"In justice to yourself," proceeded Jerry, "you must know that he set aside the sum of £1,000 a year to be paid to the lady who would undertake your training."

Peg sprang up and walked across to her aunt and looked down at her.

"A thousand pounds a year!" She turned to Jerry and asked: "Does she get a thousand a year for abusin' me? Well, what do ye think of that?" cried Peg, gazing curiously at Mrs. Chichester. "A thousand pounds a year for makin' me miserable, an' the poor dead man thinkin' he was doin' me a favor!"

"I tell you this," went on Jerry, "because I don't want you to feel that you have been living on charity. You have not."

Peg suddenly blazed up:

"Well, I've been made to feel it," and she glared passionately at her aunt.

Peg's anger gave place to just as sudden a twinge of regret as she caught sight of Ethel, white faced and staring at her compassionately. She went across to Ethel and buried her face on her shoulder and wept as she wailed:

"Why wasn't I told? I'd never have stayed! Why wasn't I told?"

And Ethel comforted her.

"Don't cry, dear," she whispered. "Don't. The day you came here we were beggars. You have literally fed and housed us for the last month."

Poor Mrs. Chichester looked at her daughter reproachfully.

Peg grasped the full meaning of Ethel's words:

"And will ye have nothin' if I go away?"

Peg persisted:

"Tell me—are ye rarely depandin' on me? Speake to me. Because if ye are I won't go. I'll stay with ye. I wouldn't see ye beggars for the wurrld. I've been brought up amongst them, an' I know what it is."

Suddenly she took Ethel by the shoulders and asked in a voice so low that none of the others heard her:

"Was that the reason ye were goin' last night?"

Ethel tried to stop her.

The truth illumined Ethel's face, and Peg saw it and knew.

"Holy Mary!" she cried. "And it was I was drivin' ye to it. Ye felt the insult of it every time ye met me, as ye said last night. Sure, if I'd known, dear, I'd never have hurt ye, I wouldn't. Indade I wouldn't!"

She turned to the others.

"Then it's all settled. I'll stay with ye, aunt, an' ye can take up anything ye like. Will some one ask Jarvis to bring back my bundles an' Michael? I'm goin' to stay!"

Jerry smiled approvingly at her. Then he said:

"That is just what I would have expected you to do; but, my dear Peg, there's no need for such a sacrifice."

"Sure, why not?" cried Peg excitedly. "Let me sacrifice meself. I feel like it this minit."

"There is no occasion."

He walked over to Mrs. Chichester and addressed her:

"I came here this morning with some very good news for you. I happen to be one of the directors of Gifford's bank, and I am happy to say that it will shortly reopen its doors, and all the depositors' money will be available for them in a little while."

Mrs. Chichester gave a cry of joy.

"Oh, Alaric!" she exclaimed. "My darling Ethel!"

"A panic in American securities, in which we were heavily interested, caused the suspension of business," explained Jerry. "The panic is over. The securities are rising every day. We'll soon be on easy street again."

Jerry looked at Peg. She caught his eye and smiled, but it had a sad wistfulness behind it.

"Sure, they don't want me now. I'd better take me cab. Good day to ye." And she started quickly for the door.

Jerry stopped her.

(To be Continued)

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PLANS "KICK BUREAU" FOR CLEVELAND CITY

(By United Press)

Cleveland, March 15.—Cleveland's newest municipal innovation threatens to be a municipal telephone complaint bureau.

The plan is before the city council with the support of City Service Director Sidlo. If successful the "kick bureau will consist of a director and assistants, who will make it their business to ascertain why "Mrs. Smith tried to get Mrs. Jones for two hours when Mrs. Jones was at home all the time;" why "the line was busy when it wasn't;" why "the operator wouldn't give Mr. Smith's nickel back when he didn't get his party," and the innumerable other "whys" that occur every day. But the city will not make it a point to criticize the telephone company all of the time. The municipal directors will probe "Mr. and Mrs. Subscriber" too, and find out just who it is that was wrong, and, if so, why.

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Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1915

Professor Carleton left today for Rochester, N. Y., to spend the week.

Professor Kase, principal at the High school, is visiting relatives in Danville while the High school is closed.

Professor Yost, instructor in the Commercial department, left this morning for Tamaqua, to visit relatives.

Professor W. B. Reading has returned to his home in Franklin until the schools open again.

Professor Beisal is spending the week at his home in Pittsburg.

Miss McNall, of Muncy, left for her home this morning to visit relatives during the time the borough schools are closed.

Miss Chamberlin, instructor in domestic science, left this morning for Geneva, N. Y.

Miss Sara Cummings left this morning for Philadelphia to hear Billy Sunday.

Rev Robert C. Peters, of the Eleventh street church, is confined to his home with grip and was unable to hold church yesterday.

Mrs. Maud Mapes, of Jersey Shore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carrie Smith, at her home on Locust street this week.

James Staver is ill at his home on Valnut street.

Mrs. Pearl Waple, of Clearfield street, left for Cherry Tree Saturday evening to nurse an invalid lady.

Miss Robie Goss and Raymond Goss, of Sanborn, spent Sunday with their sister and aunt, Mrs. J. L. Bailey, of West Fifth street.

Alvin, Jennie and Mary Bailey, of West Fifth street, will spend the week with their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Goss, of Sanborn.

Lewis Levi, of DuBois, visited in Clearfield over Sunday

W. C. Pertz, of DuBois, was a business visitor in town today

Home-Made Chocolate Eggs

The Ladies of the Lutheran Church will make delicious Chocolate Eggs, commencing two weeks before Easter.

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Miss Marian Bigler announces that she has opened a Studio in the New Mossop building where she will receive pupils for vocal instructions.

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Methodist Conference Opens at Shamokin

(By United Press)

Norristown, March, 15.—Five vital problems will confront delegates attending the sessions of the Methodist Episcopal conference here tomorrow when that body convenes with a meeting of the Philadelphia Conference Historical society. They are:

Shall the conference return to the time limit system which restricts a pastor's stay in one church to three or five years?

Shall a negro bishop be selected to carry on the church's work among the Methodists of his race?

Shall bishops be districted permanently to prevent their removal by the general conference after terms of four years?

What shall be done to conserve the results of "Billy" Sunday's campaign?

What new measures can be instituted to secure a larger support for societies spreading Methodism among the foreign-speaking elemen of Pennsylvania towns and cities?

The question of appointments and pulpit changes is also slated on untold discussion when that business comes before the conference for attention Churchmen attending the conference are also interested in who shall be appointed to conduct a whirlwind campaign to raise $350,000 for the Conference Claiant's fund, known as "The Worn Out Preachers' Fund"

The regular conference session will open Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, with Bishop W. F. McDowell, of Chicago, presiding. The sessions will continue through Tuesday morning, March 23. In the afternoon of March 17 the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be addressed by Dr. F. D Rovard and Dr C. M. Boswell, followed later in the afternoon by an evangelistic service conducted by Dr. Boswell. He will continue these meetings every afternoon during the sessions.

Friday, March 19, will be Laymen's Day. Among the prominent men who will address the convention will be Alexander Simpson Jr., Thomas R. Fort, Jr., John Cribble, James Simmington and Samuel Shaw. Saturday evening, the 20th will be Temperance night

Shamokin, March 15.—Delegates to the forty-seventh session of the Central Pennsylvania conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which opened in the First Methodist church today, arrived Sunday. They heard the Rev. M. L. Ganoe, a former pastor, preach a sermon on "Bright Prospects of the Church in the Pacific Islands," whence he recently returned after an extended visit.

The Rev. J. S. Souser, pastor, announced that the committee had everything in shape for the accommodation of visitors to the convention, and that this morning a reception would be given at the church to wives of clergymen. This evening a class of sixty students will be examined by a board of ministers and received as Methodist clergymen.

Clarion License Court Opens

Clarion, Pa., March 15.—License court convened here today with a list of 41 retail applications to be acted upon. Three distillers and one brewer have applied for licenses, also. The list is smaller than last year, when 50 in all were before the court.

First Ascent of the Matterhorn.

The first ascent of the Matterhorn in Switzerland took place on July 14, fifty years ago, and plans have been made for celebrating the event next year by the erection of a statue to the memory of the leader of the expedition. Edward Whymper, who was the leader of the party. This feat was attended by one of the worst accidents in the history of Alpine climbing. The top had been reached and the descent had just commenced when one member of the party slipped and dragged three of his companions with him, falling a distance of 4,000 feet. Mr. Whymper and two others were saved only by the breaking of the rope which bound them all together.

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The coat is short and loose-fitting and has the lower part set on with wrapped seam; satin is used to face the collar and cuffs.

Hat of straw to match, trimmed with ribbon and little wings.

Materials required: Seven yards 46 inches wide, one-half yard satin 22 inches wide, two yards coat lining 40 inches wide.

Tweed Costume. — Gray tweed checked with green would be very

useful for country wear made up in this style.

The skirt is a two-piece pattern with wrapped seam at left side front and right of back.

The loose sports coat has Magyar shoulders, with sleeves set into a double stitched seam. The collar is of the same material cut in a different way; it is stitched twice round the edge. Collar and cuffs of plain green cloth; a very large button fastens the belt; smaller ones are sewn on the cuffs.

Gray felt hat, trimmed with green velvet and a small mount

Material required for the costume: Five yards 46 inches wide.

GOOD USE FOR THE EYELET

May Be Employed Effectively in Many Ways—Example in a Recent Centerpiece.

The eyelet is quite as accommodating as the French knot, and can be used effectively for so many different designs, varying in size from a mere transparent point to the size of the natural grape, although the necessity for the latter size is rare

An up-to-the-minute art needlework shop recently showed an effective centerpiece of blackberries and their foliage. The blackberries instead of being done in the usual French knot stitch, were formed of eyelets, the tiniest kind The eyelets changed the centerpiece from a rather commonplace design to one of distinct individuality, and the sales person back of the counter said the store couldn't keep enough of the designs in stock. It is sometimes necessary for the blackberries to have their dots spread farther apart for the eyelets than for the knots, although it must be remembered that the eyelets are of the tiniest and that fine thread and a fine needle are used in the working of them.

The California pepper design is also displayed to best advantage when worked in eyelets instead of solid stitch.

A centerpiece with a grape border is ten times as effective in eyelet work for the grapes as when the grapes are worked in solid stitch or outline Huckleberries and mulberries should also be worked in eyelets. Remember that if the eyelet edges are worked too heavily the artistic effect desired in such designs is lost Flower centers may often be eyeleted instead of worked solidly or in French knots, and there are ever so many other designs which eyelets will enhance

BEST OF BRAIDED RAG RUGS

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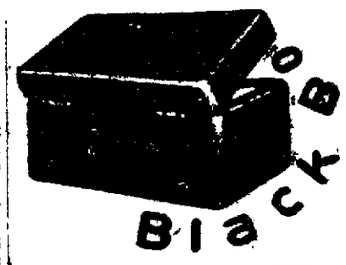
Everyone would have one or more braided rag rugs if they knew how much they are admired Braided with four strands, using only two colors, two strands black (old stockings are fine), with two of some color, make a nice rug. To sew, cut braid any length desired and sew with a strong thread to within about two inches of each end, letting this be for a fringe. When sewed together, each color forms a stripe. To make the stripe run one way always begin braiding by putting first strand over; to make stripe run the opposite direction begin braiding by putting the first strand under. Lacking enough of any two colors, use different colors in braids for the outer rows, or if it is hit or miss sew all light ones together and all dark ones together, then use two strands of each As you work you will be able to plan many ways of braiding the colors that you have.

RAISE $65,000 FOR EVANGELIST BILLY SUNDAY

(By United Press)

Philadelphia, March 15.—Up until noon today, according to a conservative estimate $65,000 had been donated to Billy Sunday for his work in Philadelphia, and the amount is expected to reach $80,000 before the day is over.

The Mystery Is Being Solved!



Soon You Shall Know What It Is All About!

WATCH AND WAIT!

CURWENSVILLE

(Edited by G. F. Kittleberger, Jr.)

CURWENSVILLE

William Bartelle has returned from a business trip to the state of Indiana.

Mrs. George Kaplan and children returned last evening from a visit in Altoona.

M. Flynn, of Grampian, transacted business in Curwensville Saturday.

Mrs. A. F. Maurey and Miss Georgie Warner shopped in Clearfield Saturday afternoon.

Clair Harley spent Saturday afternoon in Clearfield.

Miss Ella Eckert spent today with her parents on Meadow avenue.

Friends of Miss Ida Robison surprised her with a birthday supper at her home Saturday evening.

W. K. Wrigley and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Wrigley's father in Clearfield.

JOINT HEARING ON CHILD LABOR BILLS

Harrisburg, March 15.—The first joint hearing of this session of the legislature will take place on Wednesday, when the senate and house committee in charge of the child labor bills will hear arguments on the several measures in the hall of the house. Three different bills are before the house, and one with some supplements before the senate.

William Hagerty, Jr., is visiting his mother in Philadelphia. Mrs. Hagerty has been having her eyes treated in the Quaker City.

Real Estate Transfers

Sarah T. Troutman to Robert E. Boring, land in Sandy $850

Joseph Gross to Lemuel Gross, land in Covington. $800.

Ed B. Chase to Emery Hummell, land in Clearfield. $950.

Alice Rishel to Jack Shesley, land in Lawrence. $700.

Hospital Whist Club

The Hospital Bridge Whist club will meet on the fifth floor of the Leitzinger building, Wednesday, March 17, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Warren Partridge, hostess
Secretary.

AMUSEMENTS

"When Dreams Come True," the successful musical comedy that has been running in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago for the past year, bears the unique distinction of being the only play for which failure was prophesied on account of the story being too clean and free from suggestive and salacious lines. The success scored by this musical play in the above mentioned cities proves that the public wants clean entertainment in the theatre. At the New opera house tonight.

Saved Victoria's Life.

Lieut. Col Gordon Wilson, who was killed at the front near Ypres recently, was, when he was a boy at Eton, instrumental in saving the life of Queen Victoria in March, 1882 When a young man named Roderick Maclean attempted to fire a pistol at the queen on the platform of Windsor station, Wilson with his umbrella, struck up the assailant's arm, for which act he was summoned to Windsor castle and personally thanked by the queen. The boy's act gave rise to a clever pun. It was suggested that he receive a peerage, and Basil Young, the engineer, remarked that if this were done his coat-of-arms ought to be an umbrella, with the motto 'Pour la Reine' As a subaltern he rode in famous midnight steeplechase at Melton. He served with distinction in the South African war, and was an aide-de-camp of General Baden Powell throughout the siege of Mafeking, being several times mentioned in dispatches.

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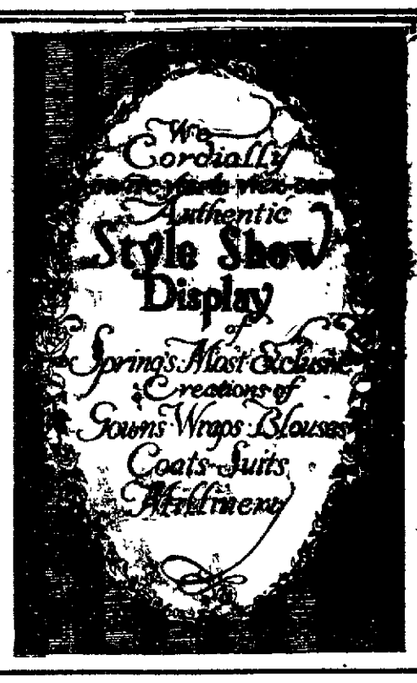

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Amid its gay creation, hues like hers?
Or can it mix them with that matchless skill
And lose them in each other, as appears
In every bud that blows
—Thompson.

SAVORY DISHES.

Cut thin slices from cold roast beef; chop the trimmings and fat, allowing one tablespoonful of the chopped mixture for each slice of the roast, season highly with salt and pepper, herbs and a fourth as much of cracker crumbs as meat. Spread this on each slice, roll and tie. Dredge with salt and pepper and flour, fry in drippings. Then put them into a stew pan, pour over water and simmer until they are thoroughly hot

Stuffed Onions—Parboil large-sized onions; take out the center, leaving a cup to hold the filling which will be used. Chop the onion which was taken from the center, mix with cold sausage or bits of bacon, bread crumbs and seasoning Fill the onions; pour around any nice meat broth or water and butter and bake until the onions are tender.

Cream of Spinach Soup.—Press one cupful of cooked spinach through a sieve, add one pint of hot white sauce, two cupfuls of broth and seasoning. Pour over the well-beaten yolks of two eggs, which have been beaten, with a cupful of cream

Cheese Souffle.—Cut bread into fine crumbs and mix with a cupful of milk which has been heated Melt a cupful of grated cheese, beat the yolks of two eggs and add to the cheese cool and fold in the whites of the egg, beaten stiff Butter individual dishes and fill with the ingredients. Bake in a moderate oven 15 minutes. Serve very hot.

Onion Souffle.—This is another most appetizing onion dish. Boil eight onions, drop and squeeze out all the juice. Add to a pint of white sauce, made rich by the yolks of two eggs. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of three and put into a well greased baking dish. Bake until firm.

Nellie Maxwell.

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But brewing at home is mussy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get this famous old recipe which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry feverish, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and abundant.

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RESOURCES

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U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$50,000.00	
Other securities deposited to secure circulation (book value)		50,000.00
Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same		
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve	96,039.82	96,039.82
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	$3,900.00	
Less amount unpaid	2,600.00	13,000.00
All other stocks, including premium on same		1,200.00
Banking house, $3,000.00; furniture and fixtures, $3,000.00		6,000.00
Due from Federal Reserve bank		5,266.80
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	1,416.33	
Due from approved reserve agents, in other reserve cities	4,969.61	6,385.94
Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 or 13)		723.96
Outside checks and other cash items, $5,098.56, fractional currency, nickels and cents, $100.84; Rev. stamp $103.00		5,302.40
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		980.47
Notes of other national banks		1,165.00
Federal Reserve Notes		90.00
Lawful money reserve in banks:		
Specie	23,860.80	
Legal-tender notes	1,600.00	25,460.80
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent. on circulation)		2,500.00
Total		370,888.77

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		50,000.00
Surplus fund		14,000.00
Undivided profits	3,334.55	
Reserved for	3,334.55	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	942.02	2,392.53
Circulating notes	50,000.00	
Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	50 00	49,920.00
Dividends unpaid		51.00
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	242,542.50	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	11,257 53	
Cashier's checks outstanding	669.16	
Deposits requiring notice of less than 30 days		254,469.19
Total		370,888.77

State of Pennsylvania, County of Clearfield, ss:

I, J. M Laurie, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

J M. LAURIE, Cashier

Correct—Attest
H. G. JONES
ROBERT H. SOMMERVILLE
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Directors.

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WEATHER REPORT
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BRITISH WIN VICTORY OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

Drive the Germans From Trenches and Gain About Four Miles

KAISER'S ARMY SUFFERS GREAT LOSSES

Claim That 10,000 Germans Were Killed, Wounded or Taken Prisoners During the Fighting—One of the Greatest Advances Made by the British Since They Began to Make Their Forward Dash Toward Lille—Tremendous Damage Done to the Germans by the Guns of Their Opponents—Teutons Put Up a Vigorous Resistance, But are Driven From Their Trenches.

(By United Press)

London, March 15.—Advance of the British troops in the vicinity of Neuvechapelle is estimated at about four miles, in a dispatch today from Bethune.

The Germans are declared to have been forced back beyond the forest. This advance of the British includes their various forward movements since the beginning of their activities at this point on March 10.

An observer with the British forces, reporting upon the opening bombardment by a large number of guns and howitzers, says:

Fire Was Tremendous

"Our men in the trenches describe this fire as being the most tremendous, both in point of noise and in actual effect, they have ever seen or heard. The shrieking of shells in the air, their explosion and the continuous thunder of the batteries were all merged into one great volume of sound. The discharges of the guns were so rapid that they sounded like the fire of a gigantic machine gun.

"During the thirty-five minutes it continued our men could show themselves freely, and even walk about in perfect safety. Then the signal for the attack was given, and in less than half an hour almost the whole of the elaborate series of German trenches in and about Neuvechapelle was in our hands.

Whole Trenches Blotted Out

"Except at one point, there was hardly any resistance, for the trenches, which in places were literally blotted out, were filled with dead and dying, partly buried in the earth and debris, and the majority of the survivors were in no mood for further fighting.

"To the northeast of the village, however, a body of Germans, ensconced in some inclosures, still continued to hold out for a few hours. Three attacks, in spite of the extreme gallantry with which they were conducted, failed to dislodge them, but by about noon the arival of reinforcements drove the Germans from their last stronghold in the village.

"This part of the fighting was remarkable for the manner in which every part of the attacking line afforded one another mutual support.

"Meanwhile on the right, in the direction of Richebourg, a similar advance had been made toward Bois du Biez, a small rectangular wood lying about 1000 yards to the southeast of Neuvechapelle. Here, also, little resistance was met with, and our line reached a point about 400 yards from the wood.

"In the afternoon, the troops who had seized Neuvechapelle advanced still further to the east, gaining nearly 400 yards, while on their left again, north of the village, our forward movement progressed for a considerable distance and the fighting continued long after darkness had set in.

Take Position by Bayonet

"The enemy were by this time thoroughly shaken and in some parts of the field were surrendering in groups. Throughout the day the Germans continued to hold out in a strang position at the angle of the crossroads south of the village, where they were established in a perfect network of trenches and barbed wire. This position had been known as Port Arthur and a hard struggle raged for some hours around it, until at 5:30 in the evening, when it was stormed at the point of the payonet.

"By nightfall we were in possession of all of the enemy's trenches on a front of 400 yards, representing an advance of more than 1200 yards from our original trenches at the furthest point.

BIG FRENCH GUN ON RAILS FIRING AT GERMAN POSITION.

One of the huge guns of the French Artillery, mounted on a carriage spe cially constructed for transportation by rail, is seen here being discharged. Some of the gun crew are holding their hands to their ears as the concussion produced by these heavy pie ces causes a frightful noise. This gun is being trained on some German trenches about two miles away.

EITEL FRIEDRICH HOLDS FRYE MEN PRISONERS

Question of Right to Hold These Men Will be Decided Soon

FIXING VALUE OF THE SUNKEN VESSEL

American Case Against the German Ship Has Been Completed—Facts Relating to the Destruction of the Frye Will be Forwarded to Berlin at Once—United States Government Wants Captain of Eitel Friederich to State How Long He Will Require to Repair His Ship—Date Will be Kept Secret From the British Warships Outside.

(By United Press)

Newport News, Va., March 15.—Government authorities here are awaiting instructions from Washington regarding representations to be made to Commander Thierichens of the German cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich concerning the detention of Charles Frank and Robert Roggo, members of the crew of the American sailing ship William P. Frye, sunk in the South Atlantic January 28 by the German commerce destroyer.

Held Against Will

Sworn statements have been made to the collector of customs here by other members of the Fry's crew that one of these men is being detained against his wishes, and the question is whether the German commander has a right to take men from an American ship and hold them for service in the Germany navy even if they are Germans and subject to such service. Collector Hamilton, it is learned, has received word to make no move until he receives instructions from the treasury department, which yesterday referred to the subject to the secretary of state.

Must Decide Soon

Commander Thierichens still delays reply to Collector Hamilton's twice repeated request for formal notification to the Washington government of the time he wishes granted for repair of his vessel at the ship yards here. He has estimated that, probably three weeks, but has made no specific request for time. The naval board of survey, without waiting further word from the German officer, will resume its examination of the cruiser tomorrow to see what repairs are necessary to make her sea worthy. Constructor Duboser, Lieutenant Commander Norris and Lieutenant Allen, the members of the board, will resume their work by going over the Eitel Friedrich's boilers.

AMERICAN TRADE WITH SOUTHERN REPUBLICS BRISK

Many Ships Sail Daily With Goods Made in the United States

Argentine Anxious to Buy Goods in the United States and Sell Her Product to Americans—Capitalists Preparing to Meet Demand.

By Carlton Ten Eyck
(Written for the United Press)

New York, March 15.—Down at the wharves these days there are Yankee steamers, flying the stars and stripes, loading with Made in U. S. A. products, bound for the Spanish Main.

The trade routes that Drake and his crew of freebooting heroes originated in their task of plundering Spanish cities of South America are followed by more American ships than European now, where, a few months ago, it was the Union Jack or Norwegian, or German flag that flew from the mastheads of the ships in the tropics.

Big business, the kind that deals in millions, no longer needs urging to seize its opportunity, and the little fellows, who deal in thousands instead of millions, are following the leaders.

A dozen or more ships are clearing every week for Argentine, and Brazil and for ports on the west coast of South America, via the canal.

And South American goods are coming back, in American bottoms. A week or so ago Manuel A. Molina, consul general of the Argentine republic in New York, issued an official statement in which he pleaded for closer trade relations between the United States and Argentine.

"We have products you want, as well as markets for your products," he said. "The United States is interested in capturing our markets by selling its products to us, but does not reciprocate in purchasing our goods to a similar degree. Argentine wool and hides are brought in the London markets by American importers. Why not import them direct to America and save the middleman's profits?"

Yankee millionaires saw the chance, and there are a few ships now en route from Buenos Aires with Argentine products which will be sold in the open market here.

The Argentine consul's plea was followed, a few days later, by an announcement from Peru. The government there decided to import flour from the United States and sell it at cost price in order to reduce the cost of bread there.

These announcements had immediate results, and, as a sequel, a chain of government-encouraged schools for the training of foreign commerce experts may soon be realized. Prof. C. L. Swiggett of the University of Tennessee, who is a member of the committee on commercial preparation of foreign trade of the National Foreign trade council announced that important links in this chain of schools would be Columbia university in New York, University of Chicago, Tulane university, Harvard university of Cincinnati and Charleston college.

"A careful study of our educational systems," said Prof. Swiggett, "has led me to question whether we will ever be able to establish within our ordinary schools and colleges, as organized and directed adequate sources for this specific training. You see, this implies rather an international viewpoint, something quite distinct from the usual temper or attitude of our classrooms. Government aid is necessary."

The big interests of the country are behind Professor Swiggett's plan. They desire to see American trading stations in the tropics, the orient and the South Seas, where the British and German interests collided before the war.

New England is taking up the South American opportunity with increased zest as a result of conferences Boston business men have had with Charles F. Baker, American vice and consul general at Guayaquil, Ecuador. Boston manufacturers and importers of cocoa, hides, rubber, ivory nuts, Panama hats and other products are interested now in mapping out new routes for shipment of their goods to and from the west coast.

Lincoln Beachey Meets Death at Exposition

Lincoln Beachey, one of the most daring aviators in the United States, plunged to his death while giving an exhibition at the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco, Sunday afternoon. Beachey was giving an exhibition of fancy flying when the wings of his new aeroplane collapsed and he fell a distance of 7000 feet, alighting in the water. Every bone in his body was broken.

Beachey gave an exhibition in Williamsport about three years ago and has been noted for his recklessness for years.

MISSIONARY WORKERS OF STATE CONVENE

(By United Press)

Pittsburg, March 15.—Leading missionary workers were gathered here today for the twenty-first annual convention of the Christian and Missionary alliance, which opened in Carnegie Hall, Northside. The convention will be ni progress for one week.

The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. A. E. Thompson, of Jerusalem. Dr. Thompson had great difficulty in getting from Jerusalem to Jaffa because of his English nationality and was finally furnished an escort by Dr. Glazebrook, the American consul, and a strong guard. He declares that a United States warship helped him get safely upon the high seas.

Among the speakers will be: Dr. A. B. Simpson, of New York; Rev. E. J. Richards, New York, secretary of the home department; Dr. Frederick Farr, Philadelphia; Dr. P. W. Philpott; Hamilton, Canad; Rev. A. E. Funk, Boydton, Va.; Rev. W. L. Tucker, Los Angeles; Rev. E. M. Collett, Charlotte, N. C., and Miss Cora Rudy, Dayton, O.

Steady! Careful!
This mystery is baffling thousands
It's amazing solution worked out by the Secret of the

BOARD OF HEALTH WARNS CITIZENS TO USE PRECAUTION

Parents Should Keep Their Children Away From Infected Homes

Children Under Eighteen Years Forbidden to Attend Places of Public Amusement, Churches, Etc.—Y. M. C. A. Closed Temporarily—Three New Cases Reported Since Saturday.

One more case of scarlet fever, at the home of Raymond Burns, in the Fourth ward, was reported to the board of health on Sunday. Four cases at the homes of, William Lukens, Ed. Taylor, William Dole and Baughman's were reported on Saturday.

The borough schools have been closed for a week, and all persons under 18 years of age are prohibited from attending all public gatherings, churches, places of amusement, etc. The opera house and the Globe theatre have been allowed to remain open upon condition that they observe this regulation.

The Y. M. C. A. has been closed until such a time as the board of health considers it wise to open the high school. The Mineralite Bowling ball which is touring the world and which was to have been at the local Y. M. C. A. on the 15th and 16th of month will go on to Ebensburg in place of remaining here.

The board of health says it is doing everything in its power to control the epidemic; and now the effectiveness of this control rests with the citizens. The board of health can only act upon cases after they have been reported to it. The schools have been closed because of the clamoring of the people, and now these children are running around the streets and making the spread of the epidemic more dangerous than if they were in school. It is the duty of the parents to keep their children at home and to call a physician whenever there is the least indication of scarlet rash or fever.

The home of Wm. Rishel, on Linden street, was quarantined for scarlet fever, this morning.

There are now 20 cases in the borough at present.

PENN GRANGE WILL HOLD ITS ANNUAL BANQUET

Penn Grange No. 534, P. of H., will hold its annual banquet in McGraths hall, Grampian, on Saturday afternoon, March 27. Grange will open at 1:30 o'clock.

All members, whether in full standing or not, are especially invited to be present with baskets and to bring with them a neighbor or friend, even though not a member of the order. Visitors from other granges will be especially welcome.

Defeated at Indiana

The high school basketball team was defeated by Indiana Normal at Indiana Friday evering by a score of 21 to 23. C. H. S. was ahead at the end of the first half 19 to 14.

Died Sunday Morning

Anna Polaty died at her home on Water street Sunday morning of cancer of the liver.

BACKYARD GARDENS TO LOWER COST OF LIVING

(By United Press)

Washington, March 13.—Can city dwellers reduce the cost of living by gardening on their roofs or back porches? is a question the agriculture department has been asked recently.

It would be fun to try, is the department's answer. But the fun is the only thing officially guaranteed. To cart good, rich dirt to the top of an apartment house, it was pointed out, would run into money. Nevertheless, it was admitted the proposition was a feasable one, even if it should not prove profitable.

The department does contend earnestly, however, for the backyard garden. "Get outside with a shovel," urge the garden sharks, "and plant something. You may not save anything on your grocery bill but you'll get better garden truck and think of the good time you'll have."

WHAT DUBOIS THINKS OF "WHEN DREAMS COME TRUE"

"When Dreams Come True" the offering at the Avenue theatre on Saturday afternoon and night proved to be a most entertaining play, one that is appealing in its theme and is given by a company that is highly capable. There is a large amount of clever dancing, and the singing numbers are above the average. The comedy is refreshing and is entirely free from anything of a suggestive nature. It is better than usual in this respect. (DuBois Courier, Monday, March 15.

Marriage Licenses

Howard White, of Hawk Run, and Celia Smeal, of Karthaus.

Howard C. Jones, of Ramey, and Edna M. Osewalk, land in Osceola.

Turkish Solders Murder Six Greek Families

(By United Press)

Athens, March 15.—Turkish soldiers in Ismari have murdered six Greek families, according to reports from Bulgaria.

The reports have aroused a strong feeling of hatred in Greece. Although the report has not been confirmed by the government, the newspapers are taking it up.

WHOLE FAMILY IS MURDERED IN HOME

(By United Press)

Terre Haute, Indiana, March 15.—Neighbors today found the whole Baldwin family with battered and fractured skulls lying in their home. Samuel aged 12, and Celeste, aged 7 were dead. Mrs. Lizzie Baldwin, aged 35, Irene aged 5, Clifford aged 3 and a baby one year old were found unconscious and taken to the hospital where they are not expected to recover.

A bloody flatiron lying near them was the only clue to the murder. No arrests have been made. William Baldwin, the father, is a telephone lineman who is now working in Illinois. He sent the family part of his earnings every week, but they were very poor and robbery could not have been the cause of the murder. The family, according to neighbors, were very quiet and the authorities are at loss to explain the cause of the murder.

Lunch Postponed

Mrs. S. A. Row's circle, of the Lutheran church, which was to have served this week, postponed the lunch, because of the scarlet fever, until a later date.

D. C. Rook has taken the room over the Globe theatre, where he is showing the famous "Safety First Clothes" at $10.00. Come up any time.

BOTH PATIENTS ARE GETTING ALONG WELL

C. P. Diehr, motive power superintendent of the N. Y. C., who is a patient at the Clearfield hospital because of injuries received in an elevator accident last week at the Dimeling hotel, is resting comfortably today.

John Ardary is getting along nicely and there is every indication of his recovery.

German Advance Is Halted

(By United Press)

Petrograd, March 15.—The German advance has been halted north and east of Przemysl by the defest of the German detachment near Mlawa, but a new battle for possession of Pryasnysz cannot long be delayed. In the north and west the Germans are drawing up strong reinforcements. The lull in the fighting is being used as a time for preparation.

Capitulation of Smyrna Is Expected Very Soon

(By United Press)

London, March 15.—The fall of Smyrna before the end of the week is prophesied in reports from Athens. A squadron is bombarding the defenses inside the strait and new allied ships are steaming away at the land batteries.

From Sophia have come reports from refugees who cited positively that the capitol is to be removed from Constantinople to Eskiskehr, in Asia Minor.

Missionary Society Meeting

The Missionary society of the Lutheran church will hold a conference at Grace Lutheran church in Altoona on Thursday afternoon and evening of this week, at which members of the society will be made welcome.

Reparation In McManus Murder Case

(By United Press)

Washington, March 15.—Renewed and more formal assurances that due reparation will be made for the murder of John B. McManus by Zapatistas in Mexico City were received at the state department yesterday through the Brazilian minister.

These assurances come from Gen. Palafox, prominent during the last Villa-Zapata occupation of Mexico City, who has taken charge of the department of foreign affairs.

SWEDISH SHIP SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

(By United Press)

Hull, March 15.—Fourteen survivors of the crew of the Swedish steamship Hanna, which was torpedoed by a submarine off Scarborough, on the east coast of England, early Saturday morning were landed here Saturday evening by a steamship which picked them up. Six of the crew were either drowned or killed by the explosion.

Saturday night the second mate, who was on the bridge at the time of the attack, said that he did not see the submarine which gave no notice of her intention. He saw the torpedo approaching the vessel, but it was too late to maneuver the ship so as to avoid it. The explosion caused the forepart of the deck to fall in, imprisoning several of the crew in the forecastle.

For half an hour after being struck the vessel continued to float, giving the survivors time to take to the boats.

The Hanna was bound from the Tyne for Las Palmas, Canary Islands. When it was torpedoed it was displaying its national colors according to the survivors, and had its name and nationality painted on its sides in letters reaching from the bulwarks to the waterline. Therefore, the vessel does declare, it was impossible for it to be mistaken for a British ship.

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IF you buy out of town, and we buy out of town, and all our neighbors buy out of town, what in launder will become of our town? Ever think of it?

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1915

Good evening! Cheer up; think of the predicament of the sultan of Turkey.

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What is so rare, also, as a June day in March?

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Imagine an Englishman who drops his h's trying to pass himself off as a German.

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At this time it is the duty of every citizen to constitute himself a quarantine guard.

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It may be a mere coincidence, but just as woman's suffrage seems ot be winning Mormon proselyting becomes more active.

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Thus far March has been behaving very well, and even if the month shall go out like a lion we will have had our pleasant days.

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Clearfield citizens believe a chautauqua is a good thing, hence it is an easy matter to secure a chautauqua guarantee in this town.

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Women never wanted anything they didn't get, and it will not be long until the female of the species will be voting in every state in the union.

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Ex-Presidents Diaz and Huerta are no doubt preparing to welcome to their colony in foregin lands the other Mexican rulers who will soon be ex's.

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Those Mexicans are so accustomed to President Wilson's bluffs that they are not in the least alarmed over the sending of American warships to Vera Cruz.

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The famous "Flying Dutchman" didn't have anything on the German ship Dresden, which has been sunk and brought to the surface a half dozen times in the past six months.

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The Progress is read by more people than read any other daily newspaper in this section of the state, and that's why the Progress is the best advertising medium in Clearfield county.

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Harry K. Thaw may soon be a free man, and if he has another brain storm he will have a precedent by which he will be guided in escaping punishment if he wishes to kill another man.

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New York's murder rate is said to be eight times as high as London's, and the Thaw verdict after he murdered Stanford White didn't help to lower Gotham's murder rate, to any extent.

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France is putting up such a good fight and her people are displaying such praiseworthy virtues that it is not strange that the sympathies of the American people goes out to the Frenchmen.

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Not his own inclination, but the fear of running a foul of a fleet of British warships will probably decide the captain of the Eitel Freidrich to intern his piratical ship in an American port.

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We now know why the Germans do not take more prisoners; they are afraid their food supply would be too quickly exhausted if they were to have a million or more hungry Russians or Englishmen to feed.

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A Delaware woman seventy years of age visited Philadelphia the other day and said she was surprised at the activity of the people of that city. The old lady must have struck an hour in which a new scrapple cafe was opened.

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The world boasts of the modern "push" in business and other lines of endeavor, but nothing that is done today equals the expedition and productiveness in throwing in of paint by the Old Masters, whose output of pictures seems to be inexhaustible.

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Johnstown's mayor sentenced a drunk to read three chapters of the Bible, and because the warden let the fellow go before the complete sentence was complied with he had to read the Bible himself. Talk about your cruel and unnecessary punishment.

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Governor Brumbaugh wants the negligent citizens who refuse to vote penalized with a fine, which is a proposition that ought to take well with those voters upon whose shoulders has been carried the responsibility of filling political offices with unworthy men.

THAW'S MONEY WINS

No sane person will believe that Harry K. Thaw was insane when he killed Stanford White and became sane a few days afterward. New York never had a more deliberate murder than that in which White was the victim. From the time the crime was committed, however, the public knew that Thaw would not suffer the penalty of his crime. Thaw can command an unlimited amount of money, and money goes a long way in preventing the punishment of criminals in some courts.

Because of his own and his relatives' wealth Thaw was acquitted of murder and sent to an insane asylum. The incarcaration of Matteawan was far as the New York courts would go in punishing Thaw, however, and it has been made plain in the verdict of the jury in the conspiracy case against Thaw that any inmate of Matteawan who is sane or insane may be enabled to escape if he pays the price. It cost Thaw six thousand dollars to get out of the insane asylum, aside from the amount he had to pay sleek lawyers to convince the court that he intended no violation of the law.

The Thaw case throughout has done more to bring ridicule and contempt upon the law and its methods of administration than anything that has happened in this country since it was founded. It was Thaw's money that enabled him to escape the punishment that would have been inflicted upon a poor man charged with a similar crime. Is it any wonder that the poor man looks with both fear and contempt upon the law, which sends him to jail for taking a loaf of bread to keep his family from starving and frees a deliberate murderer because the latter can buy expert legal advisors who discover technicalities and bring about delays which tire out the courts?

SHALL WOMEN VOTE?

There are two sides of the woman's suffrage question. The women who want the ballot argue that if they are given the franchise they will bring about the reforms which the men refuse to give the people. Thisis a weak argument, as has been proven in states where women have the right to vote, and especially in Chicago recently, where the women voted against a real reformer and supported a tool of the liquor element. With the ballot women would be no more powerful in shaping government than they now are, and that they have great influence now is not denied.

Neither is it true that if women get the ballot the home will be disrupted. The home is a perpetual institution, founded on the rock of civilization, and cannot be destroyed no matter who votes. Some women there are who may neglect the home for political action, but these women no more represent the intelligent home makers than ignorant or criminal stands for the intelligent male voters. If men, women and children were all allowed to vote the home would remain what it is today and what it will be in the centuries to come.

Women should be allowed to vote because they have an interest in government. They share in the benefits of government and should share in its responsibilities. Many women there are who are unfit to have the right to vote, but the same may be said of many men. The ballot would not make the women any the less capable of managing their homes, nor would it result in purifying politics. With the ballot, however, the intelligent woman would have an opportunity to prove that she realizes her responsibilities to her country her state, and in time she would become imbued with a desire to cast her ballot for principles not men, and in this way gradually but surely she would influence man to accept the reforms which she now believes are necessary to good government.

THE MUSIC OF THE SHAMROCK

The shamrock's green—it grew maybe,
Beside the Shannon springing,
Or blossomed by the River Lee,
Where Shanden's bells are ringing
That grand, melodic, throbbing peal
Through Irish dell and forest,
Imprinted by no tyrant heel,
Tagged by a city florist.

And how the music fills the air!
Those days of Kerry dancing!
When fiddles' croon and pipers' flare
Set colleens' feet a-glancing!
Kathleen Mavourneen's serenade—
Sad that true hearts must sever—
The hunter's horn—the gray mists fade—
Good-by—perhaps forever!

The harp that once—so silent now!
Oh, strike a gayer measure—
The Pretty Girl that milked the cow,
Or Peggy's low-backed leisure;
The spot where angels stop to rest,
Beyond the stone of Blarney—
White wings enfolded on each breast
Killarney, oh, Killarney!

'Tis gone! The Shamrock's voice is still!
Its leaves, so soft and glowing,
Shine out across the window sill,
Old Ireland's color showing,
With dew's soft flash and sun's gay gleam,
A happy message bringing;
And for a moment in my dream
I thought I heard it singing!

—Kate Masterson in Judge.

SIX SMALL SMILES

A Bird's-eye View

Saplee—What is this Blue Bird we hear so much about?

Snapleigh—The Dove of Peace.—Judge.

You Know Them

"What kind of a fellow is Brown?" asked the Old Fogy.

"Oh, he's one of these fellows who believe everything they pay money to hear," replied the Grouch.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Misleading

An elderly farmer drove into town one day and hitched his team to a telegraph post.

"Here!" exclaimed a burly policeman, "you can't hitch there!"

"Can't hitch!" shouted the irate farmer. "Well, who have you got a sign up, 'Fine for hitching'?"

Suitable for Wall Paper

"Well, do you think our stock will sell?"

"If it doesn't we'll have to peddle it as wall paper."

"And that gives me an idea. We'll cut out the usual curlycues and print it with a neat floral design."—Kansas City Journal.

Bad Habits

"No," exclaimed Richly, "our son will never amount to anything until he marries."

"Why?" asks his wife anxiously.

"He's got to get over the habit of hanging around the house."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Being the Description of Cubist Lady

Lost—My dog, last Sunday about noon; was seen following a lady; body black, legs most all white, white neck, spots above each eye. Please notify 505 W. Cedar street.—Kalamazoo (Mich.) Gazette.

New Beadstring Fastener.

The clasps or fastenings ordinarily employed on strings of beads, such as the popular pearl necklaces, are objectionable not only for insecurity in many instances, but also because they make a break in the continuity, and when they slip to the front of the wearer detract from the appearance. It has been suggested that possibly some form of fastener might be devised which would include as its elements bead structures corresponding to the other units of the necklace.—Scientific American.

The German Spy and The System Explained

Philadelphia Ledger

By an Ex-Intelligence Officer New York: George H. Doran company.

This is the year of stern realities. The wildest imagination of an H. G. Wells could not well cap the horrors of 1915, and the peripatiae of the breaking up of Napoleon's great empire just 100 years ago seems as nothing when we compare it to the tremendous "debacle" of our European civilization today.

Those who normally care for detective stories, today would probably hardly enjoy the imaginings of the most ingenious authors in the genre, and to these one may recommend a book recently published anonymously by an "Ex-Intelligence Officer" under the title, "The German Spy System From Within."

The author evidently knows whereof he speaks. He first explains the training of the spy in the various divisions of his activities. There is the naval spy, the military spy, the diplomatic spy—and there is also the "agent provocateur," who goes into the neighboring or the distant enemy's country to stir up trouble—as the Germans did in Ireland just before the war when they hoped that the Ulster riots might keep England so busy at home that she could not well turn her attention to a foregin war.

The recent passport frauds in which it is alleged that Lieut. Col. Boy-Ed, the naval attache of the German embassy, is involved, make the book before us of peculiar interest just now. And the arrests made in England since the war opened have brought to light the modus operandi [illegible] organization, [illegible] thor claims that [illegible] wholly demoralizing [illegible] shed by Stiebel in 1870 is now so well understood that the British police can neutralize its dangers. The trials of Schultz, Graves, Ernst and other agents show that England's counter espionage set up in self-defense, has more or less accomplished its object of neutralizing the worst perils from the Germany spy.

Indeed, the tendency of the patriotic German to give information even without pay has given rise to drastic measures on the part of the government. All Germans in Great Britain are more or less under the surveillance of the intelligence department, which was established some six years ago to guard against the influx of German spies. So well were these known that on August 4, by order of the home secretary and just before the declaration of war, 20 spies were arrested. More than 200 were under suspicion and kept under special observation.

As a fact, espionage in Germany seems to be a part of the normal life. The whole nation is subject to it and is more or less attuned to it; from the ordinary citizen to the Minister of the Interior Von Puttkamer, who loudly proclaimed in the reichstag his esteem for the Police Councillor Rumoff and his methods—these included suborning high officials and using disorderly houses as centers of information; bribing court officials [illegible] and their wives [illegible] south through the [illegible] out of [illegible] Herr [illegible] brought out in the recent cases and [illegible] demoralizing to the nation.

[illegible] in 1870 seems to have been [illegible] with the same cold-blooded [illegible] of savagery that has marked our European contemporaries in the war and the author quotes [illegible] interesting some of his own [illegible] the former unpublished today.

[illegible] of interesting [illegible] features of what [illegible] and other informers caught [illegible] Though all or each does that some new system should be devised by the Germans as the old is so well understood now as to have lost its efficiency.

FOOD FOR STRANGER

SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVES HAVE A HUMANE CUSTOM.

Field Is Set Aside on Which Supplies Are Grown and Stored in Readiness to Appease Hunger of Chance Visitor.

In South Africa, among the natives there is a custom which has never been mentioned by any traveler in his tales. In the Transkei land and Bechuanaland, nearly every fair-sized village has a field set aside for strangers. In a village where the king resides, usually his chief wife is told off to cultivate this field and store away all the product in the upper part of her hut, and if in any adjacent village some chief woman is saddled with the work, no man of the tribe is permitted to touch any food thus stored.

The king's wife or whoever cultivates the land takes her share of the product and makes her living out of it, but all over and above the amount actually consumed must be set aside and preserved. She may not trade with any other wife of the king.

This field is known as the 'Strangers' Field.' Whenever a stranger comes to the village he makes known his wants to the king and he is immediately relieved. The best hut in the village is set apart for him, he eats the food of the stranger's field, and the wife of the king prepares the food for him with her own hand. He remains a week or a month, or any reasonable length of time, and his departure is never hastened. Sometimes he stays long enough to become a members of the tribe.

An amusing feature of this custom is the fact that indigent members of the tribe occasionally leave the village and go to other villages and become strangers, so that very often when a familiar face has been missed from a certain village and anyone asks where So-and-So went or what became of him, the inquirer has been gravely informed that So-and-So was poor and became a stranger. Some lazy men go around from village to village, and when they return to their original kraal they spin the yarn that they have been working in the mines. Then again one often can run across So-and-So in a distant village living on the fat of the land as a stranger and being treated to royal hospitality.

There are no beggars in Africa. When a man becomes too poor to get along comfortably he makes a circuit of the adjacent villages as a stranger.

Neighborhood Melody.

"Please, ma'am," said the little girl from next door, "mother wants to know if you will lend her your new mechanical tune player this afternoon."

"What an extraordinary idea! Is she going to give a dance?"

"No, ma'am. We're tired of dancing to it. She wants to keep it quiet for a couple of hours so that the baby can sleep."

Queer Proceedings.

"I've got to wait in my trade until there is a freezeout in the business."

"That's remarkable. What is your trade?"

"I'm an ice cutter."

STUDYING ORIGIN OF LIFE

Scientists of Many Kinds Busy Solving One of Most Fascinating of Problems.

The search for the fountain of youth passed away with the middle ages, the search for the secret of life goes on with ever increasing intensity. The Harvard professor who has just "surprised" a Baltimore audience with a theory on the subject is only one of a host. For every biologist and physiologist today the problem looms large. Chemists are thinking of it. Even the physicists have it on their mind. To all of them it looks simple and yet is enormously complex. Given such substances as oxygen, hydrogen, nitrogen, phosphorus, sulphur and what not in the inanimate world, how does it happen that when they come together under organic conditions life should result? Do they "get busy" on their own initiative, or does a so-called "vital energy" different from physical energy, intervene to make them live? Is it their partnership that gives rise to life, or do they already live if with a lower order of vitality, in advance of the combination?

To questions like these several sorts of scientists are trying to give answers and they have more than one method. One is to see the thing out the other is to reason it out. The embryologists bring their microscopes to bear on the organic cell with keen attention to parts and workings. They insist on studying the riddle where it shows itself; they believe that where organic conditions prevail vital phenomena must appear, many of them even hold, with Schaefer, that it will be possible to "synthesize" in the laboratory. The rationalists, on the other hand, despairing of aid from the microscope, are content to find out where life comes from. And even here two schools of thought have taken the royal road. By the one it is maintained that life does not start up suddenly in the living body, but is more or less "latent" in all matter. That hypothesis is implicit in the hylozoism of the ancient Greeks, it has been expanded in modern Germany by the Nagelis and the Haeckels, it shows itself once more in the view represented by Professor Henderson at Baltimore. Then there is the cosmic theory championed by Arrhenius. In his cosmogony the vital germ which started organic evolution came to us from other worlds, or from the spaces between, wafted thence to the earth by the impelling power of solar light.

WHITE SLAVERY TRIAL STARTS IN CHICAGO

(By United Press)

Dr. Louis Weinburg, of Lingenier, Ind., the "rest cure," doctor is scheduled to stand trial here today on a charge of transporting for immoral purposes, Miss Grace Belle Rocher, from Kalamazoo, Mich., to Chicago. Miss Rocher is alleged to have made the trip May 6, 1913.

Dr. Weinburg, who had been treating the 18-year-old-girl for months, suggested to her in May that she go to Kalamazoo for a "rest cure". He is alleged to have paid her way there and later to have joined her. The indictment charges that Dr. Weinburg and Miss Rocher came to Chicago together.

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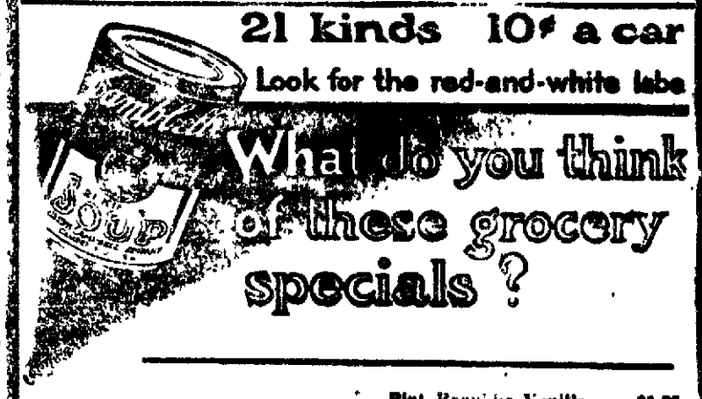

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"Certainly. Now?" and he took out his pocketbook.

"This minit," replied Peg positively.

"With pleasure," said Mr. Hawkes as he began to count the banknotes.

"And I want ye to get a passage on the first ship to America, this afternoon if there's one!" cried Peg earnestly.

"Oh, come, come," remonstrated the lawyer.

"The £20 I want to buy somethin' for me father—just to remember England by. If ye think me uncle wouldn't like me to have it because I'm lavin', why, then me father'll pay ye back. It may take him a long time, but he'll pay it."

"Now, listen"— interrupted Mr. Hawkes.

"Mebbe it'll only be a few dollars a week, but father always pays his debts—in time. That's all he ever needs—time."

"What's all this nonsense about going away?"

"It isn't nonsense. I'm goin' to me father," answered Peg resolutely.

Hawkes hunted through his mind for the cause of this upheaval in the Chichester home. He remembered Mrs. Chichester's statement about Alaric's affection for his young cousin. Could the trouble have arisen from that? It gave him a clew to work on. He grasped it

"Answer me one question truthfully, Miss O'Connell. Is there an affair of the heart?"

Peg looked down on the ground mournfully and replied:

"Me heart is in New York—with me father."

"Has any one made love to you since you have been here?"

Peg looked up at him sadly and shook her head. A moment later a mischievous look came into her eyes, and she said, with a roguish laugh:

"Sure one man wanted to kiss me, an' I boxed his ears, an' another—almost man—asked me to marry him."

"Oh!" ejaculated the lawyer.

"Me Cousin Alaric."

"And what did you say?" questioned Hawkes.

"I towld him I'd rather have Michael."

He looked at her in open bewilderment and repeated:

"Michael?"

"Me dog," explained Peg, and her eyes danced with merriment.

Hawkes laughed heartily and relievedly.

As Hawkes looked at her, radiant in her springlike beauty, her clear, healthy complexion, her dazzling teeth, her red-gold hair, he felt a sudden thrill go through him. His life had been so full, so concentrated on the development of his career, that he had never permitted the feminine note to obtrude itself on his life. His effort had been rewarded by an unusually large circle of influential clients who yielded him an exceedingly handsome revenue. He had heard whispers of a magistracy. His public future was assured

But his private life was arid. The handsome villa in Pelham crescent had no one to grace the head of the table, save on the occasional visits of his aged mother or the still rarer ones of a married sister.

And here was he in the full prime of life.

Yielding to some uncontrollable impulse, he took her little hand in both of his own.

Hawkes was not to be denied now. He went on in his softest and most persuasive accents:

"I know one who would give you all these—a man who has reached the years of discretion, one in whom the follies of youth have merged into the knowledge and reserve of early middle age; a man of position and of means; a man who can protect you, care for you, admire you—and be proud to marry you.

"Miss O'Connell—may I say Margaret?—I was your uncle's adviser, his warm personal friend. We spoke freely of you for many weeks before he died. It was his desire to do something for you that would change your whole life and make it full and happy and contented. Were your uncle alive I know of nothing that would give

"Will ye let me have £20?" suddenly asked Peg.

him greater pleasure than for his old friend to take you, your young life, into his care. Miss O'Connell, I am the man!"

"Stop it!" she cried. "What's the matther with you men this morning? Ye'd think I was some great lady the way ye're all offerin' me your hands an' yer names an' yer influences an' yer dignities. Stop it! Give me that money an' let me go."

Hawkes paused.

"Don't give your answer too hastily. I know it must seem abrupt—one might almost say brutal. But I am alone in the world; you are alone. Neither of us has contracted a regard for any one else. And, in addition to that, there would be no occasion to marry until you are twenty-one. There!"

Peg suddenly burst into a paroxysm of laughter.

"Am I to consider that a refusal?"

"Ye may. What would I be doin' marryin' the likes of you? Answer me that?"

"That is final?" he queried.

"Absolutely, completely an' entirely final. Thank ye very much, sir," she added. "An' may I have the £20?"

"Certainly. Here it is." And he handed her the money

"I'm much obliged to ye. An' I'm sorry if I hurt ye by laughin' just now. But I thought ye were jokin'. I did."

She hurried across the room to the staircase. When she was halfway up the stairs Jarvis entered and was immediately followed by Jerry.

"Peg!" he said gently, looking up at her.

"I'm goin' back to me father in half an hour!" And she went on up the stairs.

As Jerry moved slowly away from the staircase he met Montgomery Hawkes.

CHAPTER XXVII.

New Revelations.

"WHY, how do you do, Sir Gerald?" and Hawkes went across quickly with outstretched hand.

"Hello, Hawkes," replied Jerry, too preoccupied to return the act of salutation. Instead he nodded in the direction Peg had gone and questioned: "What does she mean—going in a few minutes?"

"She is returning to America. Our duties of guardianship is over. She absolutely refuses to stay here any longer. My duties in regard to her, outside of the annual payment provided by her late uncle, end today," replied the lawyer.

"I think not, Hawkes."

"I beg your pardon?"

"As the chief executor of the late Kingsnorth's will I must be satisfied that its conditions are complied with in the spirit as well as to the letter," said Jerry authoritatively.

"Mr. Kingsnorth expressly stipulated that a year was to elapse before any definite conclusion was arrived at. So far only a month has passed."

"But she insists on returning to her father," protested Mr. Hawkes.

"Have you told her the conditions of the will?"

"Certainly not. Mr. Kingsnorth distinctly stated she was not to know them."

"Except under exceptional circumstances. I consider the circumstances most exceptional."

"I am afraid I cannot agree with you, Sir Gerald."

"That is a pity. But it doesn't alter my intention."

"And may I ask what that intention is?"

"To carry out the spirit of Mr. Kingsnorth's bequest."

"And what do you consider the spirit?"

"I think we will best carry out Mr. Kingsnorth's last wishes by making known the conditions of his bequest to Miss O'Connell and then let her decide whether she wishes to abide by them or not."

Mrs. Chichester came into the room and went straight to Jerry. At the same time Alaric burst in through the garden and greeted Jerry and Hawkes.

"I heard you were here"— began Mrs. Chichester.

Jerry interrupted her anxiously. "Mrs. Chichester, I was entirely to blame for last night's unfortunate business. Don't visit your displeasure on the poor little child. Please don't!"

Jarvis came down the stairs with a pained, not to say mortified, expression on his face. Underneath his left arm he held tightly a shabby little bag and a freshly wrapped up parcel. In his right hand, held far away from his body, was the melancholy and picturesque terrier, Michael.

Mrs. Chichester looked at him in horror.

"Where are you going with those—things?" she gasped.

"To put them in a cab, madam," answered the humiliated footman. "Your niece's orders."

"Put those articles in a traveling bag. Use one of my daughter's!" ordered the old lady.

"Your niece objects, madam. She sez she'll take nothing away she didn't bring with her."

The grief stricken woman turned away as Jarvis passed out. Alaric tried to comfort her. But the strain of the morning had been too great. He looked cheerfully at Jerry and smiled as he said

"I even offered to marry her if she'd stay. Couldn't do more than that, could I?"

Jerry returned Alaric's smile as he asked:

"You offered to marry her?"

"Asked her, I did."

"Poor little wretch."

Down the stairs came Peg and Ethel. Mrs. Chichester looked at Peg through misty eyes and said reproachfully:

"Why didn't you wear the black dress? Why not one of the dresses I gave you?"

"This is the way I left me father, an' this is the way I'm goin' back to him!" replied Peg sturdily.

"You're not going, Peg," said Jerry quietly and positively.

"Who's goin' to stop me?"

"I, as chief executor of the late Mr. Kingsnorth's will."

"An' who is that?"

"Mr. Jerry, Peg!"

"You an executor?"

"I am. Sit down—here in our midst—and know why you have been here all the past month."

He forced Peg gently into a chair.

"Have you ever wondered at the real reason you were brought here to this house and the extraordinary interest taken in you by relations who until a month ago had never even bothered about your existence?"

"I have, indade," Peg answered. "But whenever I've asked any one I've always been told it was me uncle's wish."

"And it was. Indeed, his keenest desire just before his death was to atone in some way for his unkindness to your mother."

"Nothin' could do that," and Peg's lips tightened.

"That was why he sent for you."

"Sendin' for me won't bring me poor mother back to life, will it?"

"At least we must respect his intentions. He desired that you should be given the advantages your mother had when she was a girl.

"In justice to yourself," proceeded Jerry, "you must know that he set aside the sum of £1,000 a year to be paid to the lady who would undertake your training."

Peg sprang up and walked across to her aunt and looked down at her.

"A thousand pounds a year!" She turned to Jerry and asked: "Does she get a thousand a year for abusin' me? Well, what do ye think of that?" cried Peg, gazing curiously at Mrs. Chichester. "A thousand pounds a year for makin' me miserable, an' the poor dead man thinkin' he was doin' me a favor!"

"I tell you this," went on Jerry, "because I don't want you to feel that you have been living on charity. You have not."

Peg suddenly blazed up:

"Well, I've been made to feel it," and she glared passionately at her aunt.

Peg's anger gave place to just as sudden a twinge of regret as she caught sight of Ethel, white faced and staring at her compassionately. She went across to Ethel and buried her face on her shoulder and wept as she wailed:

"Why wasn't I told? I'd never have stayed! Why wasn't I told?"

And Ethel comforted her.

"Don't cry, dear," she whispered. "Don't. The day you came here we were beggars. You have literally fed and housed us for the last month."

Poor Mrs. Chichester looked at her daughter reproachfully.

Peg grasped the full meaning of Ethel's words:

"And will ye have nothin' if I go away?"

Peg persisted:

"Tell me—are ye rarely depandin' on me? Spake to me. Because if ye are I won't go. I'll stay with ye. I wouldn't see ye beggars for the worrld. I've been brought up amongst them, an' I know what it is."

Suddenly she took Ethel by the shoulders and asked in a voice so low that none of the others heard her:

"Was that the reason ye were goin' last night?"

Ethel tried to stop her.

The truth illumined Ethel's face, and Peg saw it and knew.

"Holy Mary!" she cried. "And it was I was drivin' ye to it. Ye felt the insult of it every time ye met me, as ye said last night. Sure, if I'd known, dear, I'd never have hurt ye, I wouldn't. Indade I wouldn't!"

She turned to the others.

"There, it's all settled. I'll stay with ye, aunt, an' ye can take up anything ye like. Will some one ask Jarvis to bring back my bundles an' Michael? I'm goin' to stay!"

Jerry smiled approvingly at her. Then he said:

"That is just what I would have expected you to do; but, my dear Peg, there's no need for such a sacrifice."

"Sure, why not?" cried Peg excitedly. "Let me sacrifice meself. I feel like it this minit."

"There is no occasion."

He walked over to Mrs. Chichester and addressed her:

"I came here this morning with some very good news for you. I happen to be one of the directors of Gifford's bank, and I am happy to say that it will shortly reopen its doors, and all the depositors' money will be available for them in a little while."

Mrs. Chichester gave a cry of joy.

"Oh, Alaric!" she exclaimed. "My darling Ethel!"

"A panic in American securities, in which we were heavily interested, caused the suspension of business," explained Jerry. "The panic is over. The securities are rising every day. We'll soon be on easy street again."

Jerry looked at Peg. She caught his eye and smiled, but it had a sad wistfulness behind it.

"Sure, they don't want me now. I'd better take me cab. Good day to ye." And she started quickly for the door.

Jerry stopped her.

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(By United Press)

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Professor Carleton left today for Rochester, N. Y., to spend the week.

Professor Kase, principal at the High school, is visiting relatives in Danville while the High school is closed.

Professor Yost, instructor in the Commercial department, left this morning for Tamaqua, to visit relatives.

Professor W. B. Reading has returned to his home in Franklin until the schools open again.

Professor Beisal is spending the week at his home in Pittsburg.

Miss McNall, of Muncy, left for her home this morning to visit relatives during the time the borough schools are closed.

Miss Chamberlin, instructor in domestic science, left this morning for Geneva, N. Y.

Miss Sara Cummings left this morning for Philadelphia to hear Billy Sunday.

Rev Robert C. Peters, of the Eleventh street church, is confined to his home with grip and was unable to hold church yesterday.

Mrs. Maud Mapes, of Jersey Shore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carrie Smith, at her home on Locust street this week.

James Staver is ill at his home on Valnut street.

Mrs. Pearl Waple, of Clearfield street, left for Cherry Tree Saturday evening to nurse an invalid lady.

Miss Robie Goss and Raymond Goss, of Sanborn, spent Sunday with their sister and aunt, Mrs. J. L. Bailey, of West Fifth street.

Alvin, Jennie and Mary Bailey, of West Fifth street, will spend the week with their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Goss, of Sanborn.

Lewis Levi, of DuBois, visited in Clearfield over Sunday

W. C. Pertz, of DuBois, was a business visitor in town today

Home-Made Chocolate Eggs

The Ladies of the Lutheran Church will make delicious Chocolate Eggs, commencing two weeks before Easter.

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Notice of other places of sale will appear later.

Miss Marian Bigler announces that she has opened a Studio in the New Mossop building where she will receive pupils for vocal instructions.

Miss Bigler will be glad to discuss method, training, terms, etc., with anyone that is interested For appointment call Bell Phone 122-R. E. & C. Phone 326.

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Methodist Conference Opens at Shamokin

(By United Press)

Norristown, March, 15.—Five vital problems will confront delegates attending the sessions of the Methodist Episcopal conference here tomorrow when that body convenes with a meeting of the Philadelphia Conference Historical society. They are:

Shall the conference return to the time limit system which restricts a pastor's stay in one church to three or five years?

Shall a negro bishop be selected to carry on the church's work among the Methodists of his race?

Shall bishops be districted permanently to prevent their removal by the general conference after terms of four years?

What shall be done to conserve the results of "Billy" Sunday's campaign?

What new measures can be instituted to secure a larger support for societies spreading Methodism among the foreign-speaking elemen of Pennsylvania towns and cities?

The question of appointments and pulpit changes is also slated on untold discussion when that business comes before the conference for attention Churchmen attending the conference are also interested in who shall be appointed to conduct a whirlwind campaign to raise $350,000 for the Conference Claiant's fund, known as "The Worn Out Preachers' Fund"

The regular conference session will open Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, with Bishop W. F. McDowell, of Chicago, presiding. The sessions will continue through Tuesday morning, March 23. In the afternoon of March 17 the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be addressed by Dr. F. D Rovard and Dr C. M. Boswell, followed later in the afternoon by an evangelistic service conducted by Dr. Boswell. He will continue these meetings every afternoon during the sessions.

Friday, March 19, will be Laymen's Day. Among the prominent men who will address the convention will be Alexander Simpson Jr., Thomas R. Fort, Jr., John Cribble, James Simmington and Samuel Shaw. Saturday evening, the 20th will be Temperance night

Shamokin, March 15.—Delegates to the forty-seventh session of the Central Pennsylvania conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which opened in the First Methodist church today, arrived Sunday. They heard the Rev. M. L. Ganoe, a former pastor, preach a sermon on "Bright Prospects of the Church in the Pacific Islands," whence he recently returned after an extended visit.

The Rev. J. S. Souser, pastor, announced that the committee had everything in shape for the accommodation of visitors to the convention, and that this morning a reception would be given at the church to wives of clergymen. This evening a class of sixty students will be examined by a board of ministers and received as Methodist clergymen.

Clarion License Court Opens

Clarion, Pa., March 15.—License court convened here today with a list of 41 retail applications to be acted upon. Three distillers and one brewer have applied for licenses, also. The list is smaller than last year, when 50 in all were before the court.

First Ascent of the Matterhorn.

The first ascent of the Matterhorn in Switzerland took place on July 14, fifty years ago, and plans have been made for celebrating the event next year by the erection of a statue to the memory of the leader of the expedition. Edward Whymper, who was the leader of the party. This feat was attended by one of the worst accidents in the history of Alpine climbing. The top had been reached and the descent had just commenced when one member of the party slipped and dragged three of his companions with him, falling a distance of 4,000 feet. Mr. Whymper and two others were saved only by the breaking of the rope which bound them all together.

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The coat is short and loose-fitting and has the lower part set on with wrapped seam; satin is used to face the collar and cuffs.

Hat of straw to match, trimmed with ribbon and little wings.

Materials required: Seven yards 46 inches wide, one-half yard satin 22 inches wide, two yards coat lining 40 inches wide.

Tweed Costume. — Gray tweed checked with green would be very

useful for country wear made up in this style.

The skirt is a two-piece pattern with wrapped seam at left side front and right of back.

The loose sports coat has Magyar shoulders, with sleeves set into a double stitched seam. The collar is of the same material cut in a different way; it is stitched twice round the edge. Collar and cuffs of plain green cloth; a very large button fastens the belt; smaller ones are sewn on the cuffs.

Gray felt hat, trimmed with green velvet and a small mount

Material required for the costume: Five yards 46 inches wide.

GOOD USE FOR THE EYELET

May Be Employed Effectively in Many Ways—Example in a Recent Centerpiece.

The eyelet is quite as accommodating as the French knot, and can be used effectively for so many different designs, varying in size from a mere transparent point to the size of the natural grape, although the necessity for the latter size is rare

An up-to-the-minute art needlework shop recently showed an effective centerpiece of blackberries and their foliage. The blackberries instead of being done in the usual French knot stitch, were formed of eyelets, the tiniest kind The eyelets changed the centerpiece from a rather commonplace design to one of distinct individuality, and the sales person back of the counter said the store couldn't keep enough of the designs in stock. It is sometimes necessary for the blackberries to have their dots spread farther apart for the eyelets than for the knots, although it must be remembered that the eyelets are of the tiniest and that fine thread and a fine needle are used in the working of them.

The California pepper design is also displayed to best advantage when worked in eyelets instead of solid stitch.

A centerpiece with a grape border is ten times as effective in eyelet work for the grapes as when the grapes are worked in solid stitch or outline Huckleberries and mulberries should also be worked in eyelets. Remember that if the eyelet edges are worked too heavily the artistic effect desired in such designs is lost Flower centers may often be eyeleted instead of worked solidly or in French knots, and there are ever so many other designs which eyelets will enhance

BEST OF BRAIDED RAG RUGS

Good Effect Is Easily Attainable by Woman With Skill and Proper Sense of Color.

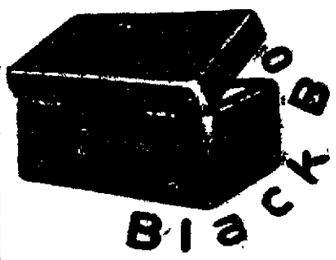
Everyone would have one or more braided rag rugs if they knew how much they are admired Braided with four strands, using only two colors, two strands black (old stockings are fine), with two of some color, make a nice rug. To sew, cut braid any length desired and sew with a strong thread to within about two inches of each end, letting this be for a fringe. When sewed together, each color forms a stripe. To make the stripe run one way always begin braiding by putting first strand over; to make stripe run the opposite direction begin braiding by putting the first strand under. Lacking enough of any two colors, use different colors in braids for the outer rows, or if it is hit or miss sew all light ones together and all dark ones together, then use two strands of each As you work you will be able to plan many ways of braiding the colors that you have.

RAISE $65,000 FOR EVANGELIST BILLY SUNDAY

(By United Press)

Philadelphia, March 15.—Up until noon today, according to a conservative estimate $65,000 had been donated to Billy Sunday for his work in Philadelphia, and the amount is expected to reach $80,000 before the day is over.

The Mystery Is Being Solved!



Soon You Shall Know What It Is All About!

WATCH AND WAIT!

CURWENSVILLE

(Edited by G. F. Kittleberger, Jr.)

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William Bartelle has returned from a business trip to the state of Indiana.

Mrs. George Kaplan and children returned last evening from a visit in Altoona.

M. Flynn, of Grampian, transacted business in Curwensville Saturday.

Mrs. A. F. Maurey and Miss Georgie Warner shopped in Clearfield Saturday afternoon.

Clair Harley spent Saturday afternoon in Clearfield.

Miss Ella Eckert spent today with her parents on Meadow avenue.

Friends of Miss Ida Robison surprised her with a birthday supper at her home Saturday evening.

W. K. Wrigley and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Wrigley's father in Clearfield.

JOINT HEARING ON CHILD LABOR BILLS

Harrisburg, March 15.—The first joint hearing of this session of the legislature will take place on Wednesday, when the senate and house committee in charge of the child labor bills will hear arguments on the several measures in the hall of the house. Three different bills are before the house, and one with some supplements before the senate.

William Hagerty, Jr., is visiting his mother in Philadelphia. Mrs. Hagerty has been having her eyes treated in the Quaker City.

Real Estate Transfers

Sarah T. Troutman to Robert E. Boring, land in Sandy $850

Joseph Gross to Lemuel Gross, land in Covington. $800.

Ed B. Chase to Emery Hummell, land in Clearfield. $950.

Alice Rishel to Jack Shesley, land in Lawrence. $700.

Hospital Whist Club

The Hospital Bridge Whist club will meet on the fifth floor of the Leitzinger building, Wednesday, March 17, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Warren Partridge, hostess
Secretary.

AMUSEMENTS

"When Dreams Come True," the successful musical comedy that has been running in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago for the past year, bears the unique distinction of being the only play for which failure was prophesied on account of the story being too clean and free from suggestive and salacious lines. The success scored by this musical play in the above mentioned cities proves that the public wants clean entertainment in the theatre. At the New opera house tonight.

Saved Victoria's Life.

Lieut. Col Gordon Wilson, who was killed at the front near Ypres recently, was, when he was a boy at Eton, instrumental in saving the life of Queen Victoria in March, 1882 When a young man named Roderick Maclean attempted to fire a pistol at the queen on the platform of Windsor station, Wilson with his umbrella, struck up the assailant's arm, for which act he was summoned to Windsor castle and personally thanked by the queen. The boy's act gave rise to a clever pun. It was suggested that he receive a peerage, and Basil Young, the engineer, remarked that if this were done his coat-of-arms ought to be an umbrella, with the motto 'Pour la Reine' As a subaltern he rode in famous midnight steeplechase at Melton. He served with distinction in the South African war, and was an aide-de-camp of General Baden Powell throughout the siege of Mafeking, being several times mentioned in dispatches.

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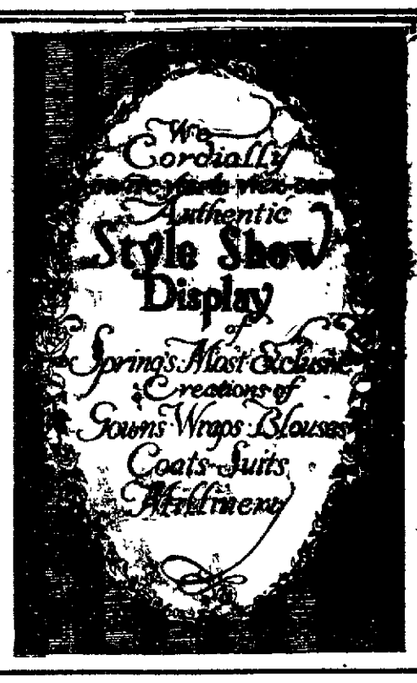

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—Thompson.

SAVORY DISHES.

Cut thin slices from cold roast beef; chop the trimmings and fat, allowing one tablespoonful of the chopped mixture for each slice of the roast, season highly with salt and pepper, herbs and a fourth as much of cracker crumbs as meat. Spread this on each slice, roll and tie. Dredge with salt and pepper and flour, fry in drippings. Then put them into a stew pan, pour over water and simmer until they are thoroughly hot

Stuffed Onions—Parboil large-sized onions; take out the center, leaving a cup to hold the filling which will be used. Chop the onion which was taken from the center, mix with cold sausage or bits of bacon, bread crumbs and seasoning Fill the onions; pour around any nice meat broth or water and butter and bake until the onions are tender.

Cream of Spinach Soup.—Press one cupful of cooked spinach through a sieve, add one pint of hot white sauce, two cupfuls of broth and seasoning. Pour over the well-beaten yolks of two eggs, which have been beaten, with a cupful of cream

Cheese Souffle.—Cut bread into fine crumbs and mix with a cupful of milk which has been heated Melt a cupful of grated cheese, beat the yolks of two eggs and add to the cheese cool and fold in the whites of the egg, beaten stiff Butter individual dishes and fill with the ingredients. Bake in a moderate oven 15 minutes. Serve very hot.

Onion Souffle.—This is another most appetizing onion dish. Boil eight onions, drop and squeeze out all the juice. Add to a pint of white sauce, made rich by the yolks of two eggs. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of three and put into a well greased baking dish. Bake until firm.

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RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$169,612.91
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$50,000.00	
Other securities deposited to secure circulation (book value)		50,000.00
Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same		
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve	96,039.82	96,039.82
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	$3,900.00	
Less amount unpaid	2,600.00	13,000.00
All other stocks, including premium on same		1,200.00
Banking house, $3,000.00; furniture and fixtures, $3,000.00		6,000.00
Due from Federal Reserve bank		5,266.80
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	1,416.33	
Due from approved reserve agents, in other reserve cities	4,969.61	6,385.94
Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 or 13)		723.96
Outside checks and other cash items, $5,098.56, fractional currency, nickels and cents, $100.84; Rev. stamp $103.00		5,302.40
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		980.47
Notes of other national banks		1,165.00
Federal Reserve Notes		90.00
Lawful money reserve in banks:		
Specie	23,860.80	
Legal-tender notes	1,600.00	25,460.80
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent. on circulation)		2,500.00
Total		370,888.77

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		50,000.00
Surplus fund		14,000.00
Undivided profits	3,334.55	
Reserved for	3,334.55	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	942.02	2,392.53
Circulating notes	50,000.00	
Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	50 00	49,920.00
Dividends unpaid		51.00
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	242,542.50	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	11,257 53	
Cashier's checks outstanding	669.16	
Deposits requiring notice of less than 30 days		254,469.19
Total		370,888.77

State of Pennsylvania, County of Clearfield, ss:

I, J. M Laurie, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

J M. LAURIE, Cashier

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H. G. JONES
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Directors.

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